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THE WEATHER.

SIGNAL SERVICE INDICATIONS.

By Telegraph to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—8 p. m.—Indications for succeeding thirty-two hours: For California, continued warm, fair or clear weather; light variable winds, generally northerly in northern portion. Special prediction for Monday: Continued warm and fair weather.

LOCAL BULLETIN.

LOS ANGELES SIGNAL OFFICE, Feb. 20.—At 4:07 a. m. to-day the thermometer registered 54; at 12:07 p.m. 74, and at 7:07 p. m. 60. Barometer for corresponding periods, 30.08, 29.97. Maximum temperature, 75.0; minimum, 46.2. Weather at 7:07 p. m., clear.

The Times.

Temple, Main and New High.

The next encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held in Los Angeles.

This time the boy pulled back the hammer, "not thinking it was loaded," and killed his father.

REV. R. F. WHITE, of New York, has been on trial, charged with assault upon a young woman and being the father of her child. The old tomcat!

THE American Agricultural and National Dairying Associations stand pat in denouncing the adulteration of wines. The dairymen, it is presumed, have a fellow feeling.

JOHN SENICH, a Sacramento restaurateur, tried to cook his whole establishment for breakfast yesterday morning and failed. John is under arrest.

IN a brief disagreement which occurred at Clarksville yesterday, Austin Keely had the satisfaction of choking his mother-in-law to death. New application of the Keely Motor; caveat filed.

A BAPTIST preacher at Ceredo, W. Va., has beaten the record by baptizing sixty-four people in fifty seconds. They had to cut the ice and stir the water with a pole to keep it from freezing while the candidates were getting ready for the solemn ceremony.

THE New York Sun inquires, "Which shall it be? Which ought to be saved, the Pan-Electric Company or the Democratic party? Which ought a Democratic and reform President to prefer?" These questions appear to be directed to the President in Washington, and the President does not respond.

R. E. HOYT, in the Sun and the Drovers' Journal, of Chicago, says: "Los Angeles, Cal., shows an increase of population truly wonderful. In 1880 her population was 11,000. In five years the number has increased to 35,000, while building improvements and other evidences of progress are correspondingly noteworthy."

THE use of oil to lessen the dangerous effect of heavy seas, is the title of a pamphlet issued by the United States Hydrographic Office, Bureau of Navigation. Experience seems to demonstrate that mineral oils are not so effective for this purpose as vegetable or animal oils, and the use of the first named is not recommended. In view of the undoubted efficacy of this means of safety, masters of vessels are requested to make experiments whenever the opportunity occurs.

THE Sunday World has learned from long experience and says: "A newspaper and a newspaper editor that people don't talk about and sometimes abuse are rather poor concerns. The men and business that an editor sometimes feels it a duty to denounce, at the risk of making enemies of another class, are the very first to show ingratitude. The editor who expects to receive much charity or gratitude will soon find out his mistake; but he should go ahead and say what he conscientiously thinks right, without regard to the frowns of grumblers."

Col. Sprague's Lecture.

Col. Homer B. Sprague, formerly of Cornell University, now President of Mills Seminary, lectured before a cultured audience in Y. M. C. A. Hall last evening. The subject of the discourse was "Milton." Col. Sprague speaks in an easy, flowing manner, and without a redundant word. Last evening he held his audience spell-bound from 8 o'clock until nearly 10. He reviewed the whole life of Milton from his boyhood to his blind old age and the intellectual climax of his life. The speaker paid much attention to Milton's career as a teacher; to his educational and political writings in early manhood; to the principles of human liberty ennunciated by him, which have become the very cornerstone of modern freedom; to his political life, his reverses of fortune and the grandest accomplishment of his life, "Paradise Lost." In passing the lecturer touched lightly on the poet's unhappy domestic relations. The discourse throughout was garnished with quotations from Milton and from other classic authors. It was a literary treat such as the people of Los Angeles are rarely offered. Col. Sprague has the gift of true eloquence.

Colored Help.

S. C. Pierce, a respectable colored man of Los Angeles, writes to the TIMES as follows:

I am daily receiving letters from the colored people of the Southern and Eastern States who desire situations as coachmen, house servants, gardeners, farm hands, brick-makers and plasterers, cooks, ladies' maids, nurse girls, plain sewing and general house work. Families in the city, or on the farm, desiring such help can drop a note to S. C. Pierce, No. 237½ Spring street. I will do my best to get you just such help as you need, believing by so doing that both the employer and the unemployed will be benefitted. And the money paid for this labor will be spent among our own citizens. Most respectfully yours, S. C. PIERCE.

George Washington Crawford.

Samuel Crawford, the day-pressman of the Times-Mirror Company, received news from San Bernardino day before yesterday which made him smile all over. The boys only had to mention the brand of cigars they smoked—and a box came out forthwith. It is a son and heir, and commences life with eight pounds of avoirdupois. He is an able baby, and Sam will name him after the Father of his Country, and later the problem whether the future president can tell a lie or not will be solved.

Basket Picnic.

Mothers, pack your basket lunch and take the children on a Saturday or Sunday to Lamanda Park, on the San Gabriel Valley Railroad. A fine grove—"the green grass growing all around"—nature in her most inviting mood. A good time and rosy cheeks, youth's portion. We offer every week "a happy return of the day." Round trip, 60 cents; children half fare.

"Duties of Wives to Husbands."

Powerful discourse by Rev. Dr. T. De Witt Talmage, delivered to-day at Brooklyn, in full in Monday's Express.—[Adv.

THE RATE WAR.

Northern Pacific Joins in the Fray.

ISSUES POOLED AGAINST THE ATCHISON.

The Pacific Mail Company Takes a Hand—A Picnic for Travelers Across the Continent.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 20.—The traffic department of the Northern Pacific has received instructions from New York in regard to transcontinental rates. Northern Pacific will make its Portland rate to correspond with the San Francisco rate daily. Though nothing has been said regarding the ocean line from Portland to San Francisco, but it is believed that Northern Pacific will work for business that way. A cut of thirty-five per cent. has been made in freight from the East to Portland and San Francisco. Passenger rates have also been cut, and first-class limited tickets are now obtained for $65 to $80 to San Francisco.

TO FIGHT THE ATCHISON COMPANY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—It is stated on excellent authority that a combined movement is to be made by all the roads in the late Transcontinental Association against the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé. Meetings were held at the office of the Southern Pacific, Northern Pacific and Union Pacific, at which all officials of the various roads were present. Beyond the fact that the proposed boycott will take place immediately, and is to be carried on, not with the object of pecuniary benefit, but to show the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé people that the other roads regard them as responsible for the recent rupture, nothing further could be learned.

PACIFIC MAIL AND THE RAILWAYS.

It is said that the Pacific Mail Steamship Company intends to make a long and bitter fight against the Pacific roads, and the best-informed railroad men believe that it will hurt overland freight business to a considerable extent. It is also reported that the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Company has two steamers ready to carry freight from San Diego to San Francisco. This move will compete in a measure with the steamship line whose interests are identified with the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company.

AN EFFORT FOR PEACE.

Prominent railroad representatives to the Transcontinental pool now in this city say that a meeting of members of the disrupted pool will, in all probability, take place early in April, when an effort will be made to restore rates and promote harmony among the present warring factions.

NORTHERN PACIFIC'S CUT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The Northern Pacific Railroad has issued the following table of passenger rates from St. Paul to Portland: First class, unlimited, $75; limited, $65, and emigrant, $35.

There are no new developments in regard to the Pacific Mail Company.

HOW THE POOL WAS DISRUPTED.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—In response to a telegram sent from the general office of the Associated Press in Chicago to S. R. Calloway, general manager of the Union Pacific Railway, asking for a statement from him respecting the disruption of the Transcontinental Association, Mr. Calloway telegraphs from Boston this evening citing that the pooling arrangement between the California roads expired by limitation months ago, but there was a tacit agreement among the roads to maintain rates pending the time when they could agree upon a basis of reorganization. Nevertheless, all the lines appear to have cut rates more or less, and the Southern Pacific with its water line to New Orleans cut the lowest. The Southern Pacific was allowed 25 per cent. in the pool, the Atchison 23 per cent., the Union Pacific 42 per cent., and Burlington and the remaining lines 10 per cent. At the New York meeting, Mr. Calloway says, the Atchison demanded 50 per cent. on Southern California business, and 28 per cent. on the remaining Pacific coast business; or, as Mr. Calloway asserts, 30 per cent. of the whole. He also declares that there are three railroad systems touching Southern California: The Southern Pacific, Atchison and Union-Central Pacific lines, and that objection was made to the Atchison obtaining one-half of this business. This would have increased its percentage 7 per cent., representing $280,000. Calloway states that the other companies were willing to leave the subject to arbitration, and even concede something additional to the Atchison road, but the latter held to its demand, and the meeting adjourned, followed by the present open rate cutting.

PHENOMENAL RATE CUTTING.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The difficulties growing out of the disruption of the Transcontinental Association are increasing, and the cutting of rates, it is said, will be something phenomenal. There has been no important change in the situation though C. D. Simonson, of the Atchison, Topeka and Sante Fe road said to-day that Tuesday would be a lively day in regard to reduction in freight rates. Whatever reduction that road may make will doubtless be met by the other roads. The Sunset route will put on more cars, and convey passengers to New Orleans at a minimum rate in order to divert traffic from the Atchison road, which conveys its passengers to that point by way of Kansas City.

At the Union Pacific and Chicago and Northwestern companies' offices nothing new was developed. A scalper on Broadway is selling tickets to San Francisco via the Baltimore and Ohio, and Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Roads for $80, $67 and $44, the trip on the other roads costing $87, $73, $56 and $49, respectively, according to class. The tickets are issued to Kansas City, at which place the passenger is given an order for the remainder of the trip. A scalper, it is said, has made special arrangements with the Atchison road. The cut in freight has not yet begun, but as soon as the Pacific Mail steamers make a freight cut, and that will certainly be in less than a month, then the war will be prosecuted with earnestness.

A reporter called at one of the Pacific railroad offices and asked if a return ticket from San Francisco would be issued at the reduced rates. The agent said he could not give a return ticket, but would guarantee in writing that the reporter could return to New York at the same rate. At another office a still better offer was made, showing that the rival companies were anxious to secure business at any rate.

Aberdeen Coolly Received.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The Earl of Aberdeen, the new Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, made his state entry into Dublin to-day. There was no display of flags by citizens as usual on such occasions, and his lordship was but little cheered by the crowds assembled along the route by which he proceeded to the castle.

A body of students following the viceregal procession was attacked by a crowd at one point on the route, and a considerable encounter ensued, during which many of the students were wounded.

Four Men Drowned.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 20.—This morning while four men and a boy were attempting to cross the Susquehanna river their boat capsized, and the four men were drowned. The boy succeeded in clinging to the boat and was rescued. The names of the unfortunates were as follows: John and Frank Most, aged eighteen and twenty respectively; Lewis Decroch and Charles Mathies. The lad who was saved was a son of Math-

ANTI-COOLIE.

Dynamite Used in Alameda—Agitation Meetings.

OAKLAND, Feb. 20.—A lighted vulcanite powder cartridge was thrown into a Chinese wash house, at Park street station, Alameda, last night. A Chinaman extinguished the fuse before the cartridge had time to explode. There are no indications whatever of the perpetrator.

AN ANTI-COOLIE PLEDGE AT PLACERVILLE.

PLACERVILLE, Feb. 20.—The officers of the Anti-Chinese Association this afternoon made a canvass of the town with the following agreement, which has received over two hundred signatures:

We the undersigned, business men and others residing in Placerville and vicinity, do hereby agree to discharge, any and all Chinese that may be in our employ on March 1st next, and to thereafter refuse to employ them, and that we will withdraw all patronage from anyone who employs or patronizes Chinese after that date.

MEETING AT YREKA.

YREKA, Cal., Feb. 20.—An anti-Chinese meeting at the courthouse was largely attended, and resolutions were adopted declaring that the present restriction law being useless in preventing the immigration of Chinese, a modification of the law is desired to exclude all Chinese, except those coming in a diplomatic capacity. The resolutions oppose all mob violence and violations of laws. They also recommend the Supervisors to select worthy men as delegates to the Sacramento Convention.

AGITATION NOTES.

DUTCH FLAT, Cal. Feb. 20.—The anti-Chinese league of this place held a meeting last night, and after discussing the question at length delegates were elected to attend the State convention at Sacramento.

UKIAH, Feb. 20.—An anti-Chinese meeting was held here to-day. H. A. Peabody was selected as delegate to the State meeting at Sacramento.

WRECKED.

The John Rosenfeld Lost Near Port Townsend.

PORT TOWNSEND, W. T., Feb. 20.—The ship John Rosenfeld went ashore on a reef at East Point, near Jumbo Island, Georgia Straits, on Friday morning. The vessel was in tow of the tug Tacoma, coal laden from Nanaimo for San Francisco. When the reef was struck the vessel broke in two, a total wreck, and was at once abandoned. The Tacoma took on board a part of the crew and their personal property, some of the sails, some of the cabin furniture and instruments, and started for Port Townsend, arriving at noon today. Twelve men staid by the wreck to break her up. The Rosenfeld has 3900 tons of coal. Her owner is John Rosenfeld, of San Francisco. The vessel cost $20,000.

A SCHOONER BURNED.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Feb. 20.—The schooner Clytie arrived to-day, bearing Capt. Sylva and the crew of fourteen men of the schooner Annie, which was burned on George's banks on Thursday last. The crew fought the fire three hours and then took to the dories.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Bay District Races—Released from Quarantine.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—At the Bay District track this afternoon, the race between Ben, Mikado and Kate Carollton was won by Mikado in three straight heats. Time, 2:53, 2:53, 2:57. This was followed by a race between Rachael, Hayward Chief, Willie S., Vulcan and Empress. Five heats were run, each horse winning one, and Empress two. The final heat was postponed until Monday next.

RELEASED FROM QUARANTINE.

The passengers and crew of the Belgic were to-day released from quarantine, where they have been for fifteen days on account of a case of smallpox being discovered on board the Belgic on her arrival here.

Accidentally Killed by His Son.

EUREKA, Nev., Feb. 20.—James Berryman, a rancher four miles from town, called at Thomas Pedler's house on Ruby Hill, this morning, and while there pulled a small revolver from his pocket which he had just purchased. Mr. Pedler took the revolver in his hand, and then handed it to his son Harry, a boy of sixteen years. The boy, believing that it was not loaded, pulled back the hammer, which slipped from his thumb, and the piece exploded. Pedler received the bullet in the lower part of the abdomen, and died in half an hour.

Vanderbilt's Reading Stock Sold.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The Vanderbilt estate has sold to President F. B. Gowen of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad the stock of the company, held by the late William H. Vanderbilt. From 50,000 to 120,000 shares, valued at $50 per share at par, were sold at $12.50 per share. The sale was consummated yesterday at the Grand Central depot. The transaction is important, in view of the proposed organization of the Reading road by a syndicate headed by Drexel Morgan & Co.

Death of a Pioneer.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Feb. 20.—Col. John Danforth died here this morning, aged 69 years. He was Lieutenant-Colonel of the Thirty-seventh New Jersey Volunteers, and before the war was Captain in the Governor's Foot Guards of Connecticut. In 1849 he went to California. During Grant's first term Danforth was appointed Inspector of Customs at the New York Customhouse, in which position he continued to the time of his death.

The Running Championship.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Articles of agreement were signed to-day for a series of two or three running races between Lawrence E. Myers of this city, and Walter S. George of London. It is to be a match for a trophy emblematic of the middle distance championship of the world and $2000 in stakes, besides gate money. The first race is fixed for May 1st.

Flooded by a High Tide.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Feb. 20.—This city was visited to-day by a tidal wave which submerged all the wharves to a depth of from one to four feet. The rising waters covered the floors of many stores and dwelling houses on the lower level of the city, and did immense damage. A gale is blowing from the southwest and to-night's tide will be still higher.

The Prewett Case.

HOLLISTER, Feb. 20.—From the special venire of fifty jurors returned to-day, John Mallory and W. Boggs were accepted in the Prewett case. The Court adjourned till Wednesday, when testimony will be offered.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

A Burlington, Vt., despatch says: The snow is six inches deep. A heavy snow storm is prevailing in all parts of Vermont.

William S. Messervey, ex-Mayor of Salem, Mass, died yesterday, aged 70. He was a member of the first party of whites to cross the plains, and was at one time in the Mexican army and confined in a Mexican prison. In 1853 he was Secretary of New Mexico.

The annual banquet of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation took place at the Hotel Brunswick last night. Letters of regret were read from Secretaries Bayard, Manning, Endicott and Postmaster-General Vilas and others.

A Henrietta, Tex., dispatch says: A Steagall, charged with incest and with murdering his babe, was strung up by a mob by the neck. After he had hanged five minutes, the Sheriff cut him down. He is now in a critical condition.

WASHINGTON.

Bland's Minority Report on Silver.

A POWERFUL PLEA FOR HONEST MONEY.

Another Call for Ten Millions of Three Per Cents—Notes From the Capital.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Chairman Bland, of the House Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures, has presented a minority report on the bill to provide for the free coinage of silver, which was reported adversely from his Committee, and which is now on the House calendar. The report is signed by Bland, Lanham and Bynum, and starts off with the declaration that the volume of metallic money is not subject to the control of legislation, but is regulated by nature. Recognizing the principle that nature should supply the volume of money, the only duty that devolves upon legislature is to establish by law the rates of value for the coinage of the two metals, and to provide for the unlimited or free coinage of both at the rates established.

In 1873, the report says, under the pretext of amending the mint act, silver was demonetized and this was in conflict with the constitution. Under the constitution Congress has power to prohibit or limit the coinage of silver as it has that of gold. As compared with gold, silver is now depreciated. It is, claimed that it will not be in good faith to our public creditors to pay them in silver dollars, and this is urged without going into the facts that the bullion contained in the silver dollar will purchase as many of the necessaries of life at this time and more than it would have done when it was dropped from coinage, and more than in 1885 or 1865 or in 1867. All interest-bearing coin obligations of the Government now outstanding were issued by virtue of the Act of 1870, except the 3 per cent. bonds issued under the Act of 1881, or since silver coinage was resumed, and are payable either in gold or silver. Therefore, to restore the silver dollar and compel its payment in redemption of these obligations, would be no violation of the contract or of good faith on the part of the Government towards its creditors.

HOW MANTON MARBLE INVESTIGATED.

The report quotes from the work entitled "Great Metallic Powers," in which the writer says, referring to the free coinage of silver, "Very venturesome would be those who should recommend the United States of America to undertake, single-handed, what France will undertake triple-handed," and comments upon it by remarking that this pamphlet was evidently inspired by Manton Marble, who was sent by the government to investigate the subject in European countries in the interest of the gold mono-metallists, as the pamphlet seems to have reached every member of Congress with the compliments of Mr. Marble. The report then proceeds to discuss the question whether it would be safe for this country to coin silver free in the event of no change being made in the monetary policy of Europe, and expresses the belief that European countries cannot further demonetize silver without great disaster to themselves, while the tendency is towards the restoration of that metal. Another question which must be considered in connection with the coinage of silver was, with what is the vacuum created by the retirement of the national bank notes to be supplied. Now that the payment of the public debt was rapidly going on and would soon wipe out the foundation of the national bank circulation? The government must either issue legal tender notes to supply it or else provide for some other system of banking, or else give unlimited use to silver. So the question must be fairly met. Shall this supply be a coin circulation or shall it be credit money?

A BUGBEAR DISPOSED OF.

The report goes on to discuss the possibility of a silver supply being discovered by which $600,000,000 of silver would be dumped down upon us and our $600,000,000 of gold displaced and dumped down in European countries, and concludes that such an occurrence would be a great relief to both hemispheres. The result would be an increase in the monetary supply in European countries of gold that would set the machines of industry in motion, giving the starving laborers of those countries employment, and enabling them to purchase our commodities. The silver placed in circulation here would place us on a sound metallic basis, revive industries and put to work a million laboring men now out of employment, giving them bread. Our revenue would swell, although taxes would be lighter per capita on the great masses of the people, because a greater number of them would be able to pay taxes. In this way, our national debt would soon be a thing of the past. It may be said that those owning fixed incomes from government bonds, State and railroad mortgages, and others who have incomes from those liens would not receive the same amount of labor for a dollar that they are now receiving, but what they lose in that regard they could gain by sharing in the general prosperity of the people. Money will be eagerly absorbed by our industrial classes. The gold certificates and silver certificates now circulating side by side, will continue to do so. The national debt ought to go, and with it the necessary bank notes. Silver and silver certificates will take the place of national bonds and bank notes. We will thus substitute good money for bad and rid ourself of an interest-bearing debt, over which all this controversy issues. A debt, the manipulation of which has cost us a half billion of dollars, is at the bottom of all our financial tricks and monetary legerdedomain, a constant source of corrupt legislation and downright swindling. With this debt and the banks on top of it out of the way, the money of the constitution will return to bless us. If the mints of this country were open to silver the same as to gold, silver would not be, as now, subject to the adverse whims of Treasury officials who heretofore have tried hard to keep it out of circulation.

CONCLUSION.

In conclusion the report says: "The most important function of money in modern trade and commerce is a legal tender power. If gold only is a legal tender then debtors must depend upon this one metal to pay debts. All the silver and other products of christendom, except gold, would not pay a dollar of the debt unless they could be exchanged for gold. Should the world come to a gold unit as the sole legal tender, that metal might become so valuable as compared with other commodities and so scarce in proportion to the enormous demand made upon it, that the money barons of this and other countries controlling a few hundred millions of gold might control the destinies of nations, and absolutely dominate the welfare of mankind. Believing that the unlimited coinage of silver is a logical solution of the silver question, and since gold and silver seem to have been the constitutional money intended for the use of the States in adjusting their legal-tender laws, and for other reasons herein stated, and yet others that might be urged for restoring silver to where it was before it was demonetized by the act of 1873, we recommend the passage of House Bill No. 5960, which aims at that result."

A Brewery Burned.

FRESNO, Feb. 20.—The Fresno Brewery was destroyed, with its contents, at 4 o'clock this morning, by fire. Loss about $5,000; insurance $2,500. The fire is supposed to be of incendiary origin, as there had been no fire about the premises for some days.

NATIONAL NOTES.

Another Call for Bonds—Viticultural Interests.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The Secretary of the Treasury has issued a call for $10,000,000 three per cent. bonds, the principal and accrued interest on which will be paid April 1st next. The following is a description of the bonds: Three per cent. bonds issued under act of Congress, approved July 12, 1882, and numbered as follows—$50 bonds, No. 285 to No. 287 inclusive, and No. 1368 to No. 1375, both inclusive; $100, No. 2108 to No. 2148, inclusive, and No. 9864 to No. 9879, both inclusive; $500, No. 1042 to No. 1062, inclusive, and No. 4201 to No. 4209, both inclusive; $1000, No. 9031 to No. 9168, inclusive, and No. 23,588 to No. 23,653, both inclusive; $10,000, No. 15,459 to No. 16,448, inclusive. Total, $10,000,000. All of the bonds of this loan will be called by the original numbers only.

VITICULTURAL INTERESTS.

Mr. Wetmore, representative of the California Viticultural Commission, returned from New York much pleased with his visit. He thinks that the interest taken by the Agricultural Convention will help the viticultural cause. The convention called by the American Agricultural and National Dairymen's Association, adopted the following:

WHEREAS, We have heard with pleasure the address of Charles A. Wetmore, of California, in regard to the adulteration of wines we respectfully offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That the adulteration of wines, and the putting on the market of poisonous compounds called wines, is one of the most gigantic frauds and abuses practiced on the American public. This peril to health and its demoralizing effects upon the growers of grapes and honest wine producers of this country, we feel called upon to denounce, and hold that a stringent law should be enacted to arrest this gross evil and punish all offenders.

TO BE PROMOTED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—A Washington special to the Commercial Advertiser says: It is said to be practically settled that Howard and Terry will get the vacant Major-Generalships.

LABOR AND CAPITAL.

Jack's Pay Not Reduced—The Eastern Strikes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—A strike of seamen on board the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's steamer Santa Rosa, which sailed to-day for southern coast points, was quelled in its incipiency. The wages of the seamen were ordered reduced from $45 to $40, when they refused to do duty. On their determination being made known, the old rate was restored, and the trouble ended.

A STRIKE ENDED.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 20.—A telegram from Scottvale, Pa., says: The strike has ended in favor of the strikers, the operators at a conference to-day having granted their demands. Work will be resumed Monday.

WAGES ADVANCED.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 20.—A Connellsville dispatch says: Notices have been posted up at all the works to resume Monday at an advance of ten per cent. This is what the strike was for. The strike lasted five weeks, and the total loss to the operators and workmen is over $500,000. The Hungarians say that they will not return to work until all their countrymen are liberated from jail. Trouble is expected from them, as the operators will evict at once if they do not resume on Monday.

THE BRAKEMEN'S DEMANDS NOT GRANTED.

HOUSTON, Tex., Feb. 20.—The report that Vice-President Huntington of the Southern Pacific Railroad had ordered immediate arrangements made with the striking brakemen is not corroborated. Freight traffic remains suspended and the blockade is felt in this city.

GIRLS ON A STRIKE.

TROY, N. Y., Feb. 20.—Three hundred girls employed in the ironing department of Miller, Hall & Hartwell's collar shop in the city, struck to-day because the proprietors refused to discontinue the use of certain machinery. The girls recently joined the Knights of Labor.

The Craft Murder.

WOODLAND, Cal. Feb. 20.—The examination of Harlan and Barnes for the murder of E. L. Craft, was concluded to-day. At the opening of court this morning Mr. Highton, for the defense, made a long argument, asking that Barnes be discharged, as there was no evidence against him. Mr. Clark, for the people, asked that Barnes and Harlan be held for murder without bail. The Court ruled that the evidence was sufficient to hold Harlan and Barnes. The defense then asked that the defendants be admitted to bail in any amount, which was refused by the Court.

Explosion in a Mine.

OGDEN, U. T., Feb. 20.—An explosion occurred at noon to-day, in coal mine No. 3, at Almy, Wy. T., in which fifteen men were burned; none fatally. There were forty men in the mine at the time. About a fortnight ago all of the miners quit work in the mine, owing to gas, but were persuaded to return. Some of the unfortunates were hurled a distance of thirty feet. The fire from the explosion lasted thirty seconds.

Arrested for Arson.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 20.—Fire broke out between 2 and 3 o'clock this morning in the Universal restaurant, corner of Third and J streets, belonging to John Senich. The flames were soon extinguished, when it was discovered that the establishment had been fired in two places after preparations had been made with inflammable materials saturated with coal oil. The same restaurant took fire a few months since. Senich has been arrested for arson.

Killed His Mother-in-Law.

FOLSOM, Cal., Feb. 20.—Austin Keely had an altercation with his mother-in-law, Mrs. Rice, at Clarksville, and, in his endeavor to avoid injury from the blows of a hammer with which she attacked him, he choked her to death. Keely gave himself up, and will be examined for murder.

Disagreed.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The jury in Rev. R. F. White's case were out all night, and came into court at 9 o'clock this morning and announced that they could not agree, and were discharged. The jury stood six for acquittal and six for conviction. The trial lasted eight days. White was charged with assault upon Miss Robinson and being the father of her child.

Watterson Recovering.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 20.—Mr. Watterson's condition continues to improve. His pulse, respiration and temperature are natural, and he is, without relapse, on the way to recovery.

Dancing School.

Below will be found a list of dances taught by Prof. Tilden: Waltz, La Rase, Union, Polka, Schottische, Newport, Heel and Toe Polka, Bohemian, Newport Schottische, Danish, Polka Redowa, Alsatian, Galop, Society Waltz, and Quadrilles of the latest style; also many changes, and the German. Class will be formed Tuesday evening, Feb. 23d, at Nadeau Hall. Music by Prof. Loeb.

The Picnic To-morrow.

The Ohio Union extends a cordial invitation to all Buckeyes sojourning in the city, whether members of the association or not, to attend the joint picnic at Lamanda Park to-morrow.

The Southern California Insurance Company

Have money to loan on real estate security at favorable rates of interest. Also, they solicit a share of public patronage in protecting against loss or damage by fire. Offices in Bryson Block, South Spring street.

G. A. R.

Last Day of the Encampment at Sacramento.

OFFICERS AND DELEGATES CHOSEN.

Geo. E. Gard Elected Senior Vice Department Commander—This City the Place of the Next Encampment.

Associated Press Dispatches to the Times.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 20.—The Department encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic met at Odd Fellows' temple, Commander Warfield presiding. The election of officers proceeded, with the following result: For Senior Vice Department, Commander Geo. E. Gard, of Los Angeles; for Junior Vice Department, Commander S. F. Daniels of Alameda; for Medical Director, N. S. Hamlin of Marysville; for Department Chaplain, Rev. W. L. Stevens of St. Helena; for Council of Administration, J. H. Barbour of San Jose, George L. Harris and Charles E. Royce of San Francisco, Allen F. Bird of Woodland, and Frank D. Sweitzer.

This afternoon delegates to the National Encampment were elected as follows: Stuart M. Taylor, W. H. L. Barnes, E. S. Solomon, Geo. Babcock of San Francisco, I. F. Laycock of Reno, Gen. Chipman of Red Bluff. Alternates: A. G. Bennett of San Jose, E. Edwards of Santa Ana, P. H. McGraw of Oakland, T. H. Allen of Oakland, J. S. Moore of Sacramento, Z. V. Goldsby of Santa Cruz.

For the next encampment Los Angeles was selected by a large majority.

The encampment then adjourned.

Church Notices.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, CORNER of Second and Fort streets.—Rev. W. J. Chichester, pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Rev. O. C. Miller, Missionary of the Evangelical Lutheran Church on the Pacific coast, will preach to-day at 2:30 p.m. All who are interested in the organization of an English Lutheran Church are invited to be present.

CHURCH OF THE UNITY, OPERA House.—At 11 a. m., instrumental music by the Heine Quartette. Subject of Dr. Fay's sermon: "Labor Not Penal, but Beneficent."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, CORNER Fort and Sixth sts.—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Young people's prayer meeting at 6:45 p. m. Ordinance of baptism will be administered at the close of the evening service. Seats are free. All are invited.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH, TEMPLE STREET, near Fort.—F. M. Kirkham, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning theme: "Conscience and the Word of God." Seats free, and all cordially invited.

GOOD TEMPLARS' HALL—THE SOCIETY of Spiritualists meets every Sunday at 7 p. m. Miss Susie M. Johnson, lecturer.

TRINITY M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, Fort street, between Fifth and Sixth.—Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. Oliver U. Miller, Mission of English Lutheran Church; at 7 p. m., by the pastor, Rev. W. B. Stradley. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. Seats free, and the poor and strangers cordially invited.

MAIN STREET M. E. CHURCH, corner of Main and Laurel streets. I. L. Spencer, pastor. Preaching to-day at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Subject: "A New Heaven and Earth, and No Sea." At 7:30 p. m., by Rev. S. G. Blanchard, of Grace Church, exchanging pulpits with pastor. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. All cordially invited.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, corner Hill and Third streets.—A. J. Wells, pastor. Sermon at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Subject: "The Answer of the Sanctuary." Rev. O. C. Miller, Missionary of the English Evangelical Lutheran Church, will preach this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

LATTER DAY SAINTS, K. OF P. HALL, 24 South Spring street, Hammond Block.—Preaching every Sunday, at 11 a. m. Seats free. All invited.

TABERNACLE MEETING.—THIS AFTERnoon at 3, Dr. Stephen Bowers, of Ventura, will deliver an address on the subject of "Temperance, and the Duty of the Citizen in Relation to it." W. B. Wadman, G. W. P. of the Sons of Temperance, will also address the meeting.

Special Notices.

Los Angeles Council No. 11, R. & S. M.—The stated meeting of the above Council will be held on MONDAY evening, February 22d, at 7:30 o'clock sharp, in their hall, McDonald Block. M. P. I. Franklin H. Day, Grand Master of the Grand Council of California, will be present. All members are requested to be present and sojourning companions are cordially invited. By order of Th. Ill. Master. J. C. S. BELL, Recorder. fe21 1t

Attention, Company A, Seventh Infantry Battalion.—All members are hereby commanded to attend all regular drills at New Armory Hall, on WEDNESDAY EVENING of each week at 7:30 o'clock. By order of C. A. KETLER, Capt. Comdg. S. L. FOSMIR, First Sergt. ja22 1m

ROOMS AND BOARD

TO LET—Rooms, single and en suite, with board; southeast cor. Spring and Fourth sts. MRS. TANEY. fel8tf

TO LET—Furnished rooms, single or en suite, with board. 426 S. Spring st. Mrs. M. A. EDMONSTON. fel6 1w

TO LET—Furnished room with board for two. Apply at 223 S. Spring st. fel4 tf

CLIFTON HOUSE, cor. of Fort and Temple sts., now open; everything, new; strictly first-class. THOS. PASCOE, Proprietor. fel2tf

KIMBALL MANSION—Select boarding; pleasant, sunny suites and single rooms; table supplied with the choicest the market affords. New High st., near Temple. Mrs. M. H. KIMBALL, proprietress. fe9 tf

TO LET—Sunny furnished rooms, single and en suite, with board, on the hill, 23 Courthouse st., corner of Olive. Mrs. A. O. VAN TREES. fe4 1m

TO LET—Sunny rooms, single or en suite, with board. MRS. E. W. HOLLINGSWORTH, 221 S. Main st. no6 tf

TO LET—Rooms, single and en suite, with board; southeast cor. Spring and Fourth sts. MRS. TANEY. no1tf

JOHNSON MANSION—Rooms single or en suite, with or without board. 181 New High st. oc22tf

LOST.

LOST—In Los Angeles or on the road to Cahuenga, a pair of gold mounted, blue-tinted eye-glasses. The finder will please leave the same at the Times office and be suitably rewarded. fe20 3t

LOST—One first-class railroad excursion ticket, signature W. N. Baker; a suitable reward to the finder by leaving at No. 4 E. First st. This ticket cannot be used only by owner, as the number has been sent in. fel9tf

LOST—A bunch of keys, about 14 in number, of no value to any one but owner. Please return to 106 N. Spring st. A. LING. fel6 6t

MONEY TO LOAN.

$100,000 TO LOAN, in sums to suit, on country property, at 6 per cent net. A. J. VIELE, 55 N. Spring st. fel6tf

MONEY TO LOAN—In sums to suit on real estate security; mortgages bought and sold. McKOON & BRODTBECK, No. 19 N. Spring st. au29 tf

MONEY TO LOAN—Large or small amounts; long or short time. LAMB & GRIFFIN, 19 W. First st. ja28tf

$20,000 TO LOAN—In one sum; also smaller amounts as desired. G. D. ROWAN, 3½ Nadeau block. au

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

MISS BECK—Dressmaking, stamping and needlework. Room 75, Nadeau Block. fel4 1m

FOR SALE—A seat in the Board of Trade. SOMES & WILLIAMS, 12 W. First st. ja26tf

REMOVAL—Dr. E. Brunson, veterinary surgeon, will be found at 30 Buena Vista st., Los Angeles. no4tf

EXCURSIONS.

PHILLIPS' Popular Pleasure Parties going East leave here February 25, March 16, April 1 and 29. Call on or address A. PHILLIPS & CO., 241 N. Main st., Los Angeles. fel9tf

ALL ABOARD!—Violet's Overland Excursion No. 2 leaves Monday, March 15. Lowest rates; best accommodations on the road. See the plan before deciding your route. O. H. VIOLET, Manager, St. Charles Hotel. fel9tf

FOR EXCHANGE.

FOR EXCHANGE—Country property for property in overflowed district in city. M. L. WICKS, rooms 1 and 4, Postoffice block, city. fe7tf

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

SITUATIONS wanted by a man and wife, wife a good cook and laundress, man understands care of horses and gardening, or take care of property either in city or country. The best of references given. Please call on or address MR. F. J. CULVER, Secretary Y. M. C. A., Nadeau block. fe21 3t

SITUATION wanted by a young lady with a piano in a private family to teach in payment for board and room; object a home; best of reference. Inquire MUSIC, at Times office. fe21 4t

NURSE—Situation wanted as nurse; references. Inquire at 117 W. First st. fe20 2t

WANTED—A set of books to keep by a practical bookkeeper having some spare time. Address Postoffice box 24. ja30tf

WANTED—HELP.

WANTED—Two waiters for country; man and wife to cook, for San Diego—$75; two farm hands, one dairyman—$30; chambermaid for country, $25; female cook, $40; one man, $1.25 per day; two solicitors, $5 per day, at E. W. REID'S, Room 5, Postoffice Building. fe3 tf

WANTED—An honest, industrious man, competent to take charge of small fruit nursery and vegetable ranch; no other need apply. The owner to furnish everything and man to do the work for the half; a fine opening to build up a permanent paying business; reference, A. Seligman, proprietor of Troy Shirt Factory, 24 Schumacher Block, or address JAMES BONSALL, San Luis Rey, San Diego County. fe21 3t

WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen in city or country wishing to earn $3 to $5 a day at their own homes; no canvassing; work furnished and sent by mail any distance. For particulars address, with stamp, CRYSTALIZED PHOTO CO., 53 W. Seventh st., Cincinnati, O. fe21 1t

WANTED—Girls for general house and dining room work; 5 German girls; good wages to right parties. 17 S. Main st. fe21 3t

WANTED—A reliable man of some education; good salary to right party. Address I. S. S., 6 N. Spring st. fe21 1t

WANTED—A first-class seamstress for hand and machine sewing; must also be a good dressmaker; none but a good workwoman need apply. For particulars address MRS. E. L. MAYBERRY, San Gabriel. fe20 tf

WANTED—A first-class blacksmith with a family to rent a shop and tools, having a No. 1 trade; none but a sober and industrious man need apply; references required. Address W. B. FORSYTH, Orange, Cal. fe20 6t

WANTED—Three good cooks, one for the country; two good girls for general housework. Call to-day at the Woman's Boarding Home, 119 N. Fort st. fel7tf

WANTED—Five experienced salesladies for fancy dry goods. Address, stating experience, etc., DRY GOODS, this office. fe19 3t

WANTED—Three waitresses for city, $25 each; girl for second work in country, six girls for general housework, $15 to $25. HEWIT & CHESTER, 35 S. Spring. fel7 3t

WANTED—Ladies' Employment and Intelligence Office, at No. 17 S. Main st., entrance of Ladies' Exchange, opposite Opera House. Girls wanting employment and families wanting help can save expense and trouble by calling on Mrs. E. H. MOORE, 17 S. Main st., Los Angeles. Mail orders will receive prompt attention. fel3 1m

WANTED—Women for all kinds of work; good places can always be had of Mrs. C. W. DOW, Room 13, Downey Block. oc7tf

WANTED—Competent gardener, at No. 123 Temple st., immediately. J. W. GILLETTE. fel2tf

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping. Address E. M., Postoffice Box 857. fe21 1t

WANTED—A good horse and two-seated carriage. Office, 112 N. Spring st. fe21tf

WANTED—City property in Los Angeles for a fine residence in San Francisco; house on Clay st., San Francisco, bath, closets, hot and cold water, gas and all modern improvements; lot 40x127½, lawn, flower garden, shrubbery, chicken yard, etc.; title perfect; no incumbrance; I want property in same shape; will exchange for residence in Los Angeles, or for vacant city lots in any nice residence part of the city. For photograph of place and particulars call upon the owner, WM. CHISLETT, room 28, Natick House. fe21 1w

WANTED—To buy, a good watch dog. C. WHITE, No. 5 Nadeau Block.

WANTED—Oranges, carload of Riverside navels or high grade seedlings; will take on trees or packed; give bottom price. spot cash. Address BOX, Times office. fe20 2t

WANTED—Cut flowers; those having choice flowers for sale please call at No. 3 S. Main st. at once and make arrangements for selling your flowers at the new cut flower market. fel7 6t

WANTED—Students to learn to operate the telegraph. Call at Room No. 5, Postoffice Building. fe4 1m

WANTED—To lease or sell, my Green Valley ranch of 960 acres; suited to stock or tillage. T. C. NARAMORE, 20 N. Hill. ja31tf

WANTED—AGENTS.

WANTED—Agents for Merwin's Universal Instructor, a large, comprehensive work, containing over 10,000 valuable recipes and useful facts adapted to the wants of every household in the land. The book sells rapidly. Liberal terms to agents. Address A. L. BANCROFT & CO., San Francisco, or MRS. E. A. BEST, room 46 Temple Block, from 2 to 3 afternoons. fe18

TO LET—ROOMS.

TO LET—Nice sunny rooms at 13 Jackson st. Terms, $5 and $6 per month. fe21 1w

TO LET—Three front rooms. No. 23 North Olive st. Apply to P. G. EDDY & CO., No. 10 Court st., opp. Courthouse. fe21 3t

TO LET—By Rochester & Smith, 9 N. Main st., 2 or 3 unfurnished rooms for housekeeping, between Fourth and Fifth sts. fe21 tf

TO LET—By Rochester & Smith, 9 N. Main st., on Charity st., near cable road, suite of 4 furnished rooms and bath, with closets and pantry, for housekeeping; for 6 months, $35. fe21 tf

225 HILL ST.—Two or three nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; good location. fe20 3t

132 S. OLIVE ST.—Furnished rooms, suitable for housekeeping. fel7 1w

307 TEMPLE ST.—Nicely furnished pleasant rooms at low rate to permanent parties. fel3tf

517 SIXTH ST.—Two furnished rooms. fe8tf

24 S. FORT ST.—Three furnished rooms, suitable for housekeeping. ja27tf

313 N. MAIN ST.—Airy, nicely furnished rooms by the day, week or month. MRS. J. HUNTER, proprietor. ja19tf

219 N. FORT ST.—Just off Temple; sunny furnished rooms. ja16 tf

220 S. FORT ST.—St. Helena House, sunny rooms, neatly furnished; first class location. no10tf

TO LET—Elegantly furnished rooms, close to Postoffice. Address E. R., this office. fel8tf

TO LET—HOUSES.

TO LET—House of 5 rooms, on horse-car track, Boyle Heights, with 12 acres of land—7 acres of which is in bearing fruit. Price $25 per month, including water. Apply to J. W. BROWNING, No. 7 S. Main st. fe21 tf

TO LET—By Rochester & Smith, real estate and house brokers, 9 N. Main street. Houses—7 rooms, Brooklyn Heights, $16; 6 rooms, Bunker Hill, $25; 4 rooms, Howard street, $13; 5 rooms Aliso road, $12; 5 rooms, Walnut avenue, for a term, $40; 5 room furnished house, Amelia st., $30; 3 room house on Pearl st., $7.50, and others in all parts of town. fe21 tf

TO LET—Furnished cottage of five rooms; best of well water; would sell the same at a low figure. Apply 352 Los Angeles st., near Fifth. fe21 4t

TO LET—Furnished house of 7 rooms, centrally located. MORFORD & SON, 110 N. Spring st. fe20 tf

TO LET—Furnished house situated in the foothills of Northern California, being only 20 miles above Sacramento, and adjacent to the railroad town of Rocklin. House is completely furnished; has six bedrooms, two sitting rooms, kitchen, kitchen furniture and all the furnishings and implements necessary for housekeeping; running water, barn and carriage house, where a family could keep their horses and carriages if desired. Will be let moderately to a pleasant family. Is upon a large estate of 20,000 acres, where there are many pleasant drives with picturesque scenery. No land let with the house except flower and vegetable garden, but would have access over the entire estate. Admirably situated for an Eastern family. Address J. P. WHITNEY, Rocklin, Placer county, Cal. fe19 6t

TO LET—A nice four room house, with detached kitchen, furnished complete for housekeeping; good stable, etc; large lot, nice flowers; near Ellis Villa College and cable road. WASHBURN, GAY & McKEE, 19 W. First st. fel8tf

TO LET—An elegant new six room cottage, with every modern improvement; also barn; in East Los Angeles; close to Downey ave. Apply to J. B. CARROLL, 55 N. Spring st. fel3 tf

TO LET—One five room house; hard-finished. Inquire 79 Date st. ja22tf

TO LET—Furnished house. Apply to Mrs. L. M. Thompson, cor. Ninth and Olive. ja9tf

STRAYED.

STRAYED—Came to enclosure of undersigned on Feb. 1, one bay horse, white spot on face and nose, saddle galls on back; also cream-colored horse, white face, two white legs behind; both small and aged. Owner will claim and prove property, or they will be disposed of as the law provides. Inquire at Postoffice, Puente. BULLOCK & HUMPHREY. fel3tf

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

FOR SALE—New 4-room cottage, with 3 closets, pantry, water, weight windows, two porches, walks, lawn, hedge, flowers, chicken park, lot 50-foot front, on best side of street and only half-block off Pearl st. Will be sold cheap, as owner needs money. Apply 33 S. Spring st., room 23. fe21 1w

FOR SALE—Cheap, 8 acres on Boyle ave., in city limits; nicely improved, mostly bearing fruit; house of four rooms, good barn and chicken corral; splendid well of water; a great bargain. Address OWNER, Postoffice box 1485, city. fel8 4t

$850 WILL BUY five large level corner lots, 50x175 each, in Park tract, close to University. Apply at office, room 1, Opera House building. fel7 6t

FOR SALE—Nine acres within city limits, on street car line, at a great sacrifice, on account of ill health; set to choice fruit, in bearing. J. C. OLIVER, 10½ S. Spring st. fel4 tf

FOR SALE—House of 7 rooms, hall, bath, pantry, etc.; large lot, fruit and shade trees, stable and chicken corral; well-located, near two lines of horse cars; $2800. LAMB & GRIFFIN, 19 W. First st. fe9tf

FOR SALE—An elegant home of 10 acres in the city, all in bearing fruit; large new house and barn; fine situation and good neighborhood; near school and street car line; will subdivide profitably within a year; will sell below actual value or take part trade. Address A. L. C., Box 496, city. fe2tf

FOR SALE—Cottage of 6 rooms and lot 60x100; sewer connection and Ecaudry water; 213 Courthouse st. Apply on premises or rooms 5 and 6, Postoffice block, second floor. ja31tf

FOR SALE—A large lot and building with power, suitable for a factory; close to center of town; cheap. SOMES & WILLIAMS, 12 W. First st. de30tf

FOR SALE—COUNTRY PROPERTY.

FOR SALE—A No. 1 orange grove; trees 13 years old; present crop will pay 30 per cent on investment. This is a bargain. Address P. O. Box 1375. fel9 6t

FOR SALE—Ranch of 10 acres, 1½ miles from city limits, on Main street, large barn, two dwelling rooms, chicken corral, bored well, 400 deciduous fruit trees, 3 years old, 2 acres choice vines, 2 acres growing barley, gum trees all around 10 acres, cypress hedge along front; farming implements; also small amount of furniture; price $3700. Apply at room 1, 7½ Commercial street, up stairs. fel8 1w

FOR SALE—Or to let, at Santa Monica, residence of ten rooms, completely furnished; two lots, filled with choice fruits and flowers, lawn and croquet ground; carriage house, stable and servants' quarters. Apply to M. H. KIMBALL, Second st., Santa Monica, or Kimball Mansion, Los Angeles. fel7tf

FOR SALE—Improved 10 acres on Lake ave., Pasadena, or would trade for Los Angeles city property; also house and lot No. 205 N. Olive st. C. C. REYNOLDS, 48 N. Main st. fe7 1m

FOR SALE—A good paying dairy. There is money in this. E. A. MILLER, 26½ N. Spring st. fe6 tf

FOR SALE—Vernon District fruit ranch of 31¼ acres, in full bearing; half mile from city limits; large ten-room house, windmill, tank, barn, stables, corrals, etc. A delightful home and splendid investment. Address Box 48. fe6 1m

FOR SALE—Twenty acres, improved, in Ontario, for less than cost of unimproved land. SOMES & WILLIAMS, 12 W. First street. ja3 tf

FOR SALE—California homes of all kinds. Alfalfa land, no irrigation needed. G. A. MILLARD, Compton. de13 tf

SANTA ANA Valley Lands, demand increasing. C. Z. Culver, agt., 34 N. Spring. no13tf

FOR SALE—Or will exchange for city property, from 3 to 7½ acres moist land, 1¼ miles west of University; variety of fruit in bearing; gum grove; fine well of water; good barn; boxhouse, etc. WALKER, House Mover, 320 San Pedro st. au22 tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—A new one-horse Studebaker wagon, plow, harrow and harness at 29 Morris st. fe21 4t

FOR SALE—Top buggy, cheap, or will exchange for breaking cart. Apply at Requena Stables, 126 Requena st. fe20 3t

FOR SALE—150 swarms of valley bees; strong and free from disease. Inquire of W. S. HARPER'S, 119 Morris st., Morris Vineyard. fel4 su W Fr w 2t

FOR SALE—Seats in Los Angeles Board of Trade and Produce Exchange for $100. Address R. H. S., San Gabriel. fe7Su&Th m

FOR SALE—Or will trade for a good horse and buggy, must be a roadster, a magic lantern, one of the largest and finest on the coast, including 150 fine views, all complete. Call at once to No. 4 E. First st., southeast cor. of Main. T. F. WHITE & CO. fel9tf

FOR SALE—Elegant birthday cards at OLMSTED & WALES'S, 19 W. First st. jan22

FOR SALE—Beardless barley at Gilmore's warehouse, Puente, Cal. fel7 4t

FOR SALE—Adams windmill, tank, machinery and frame at a bargain. Apply at 911 S. Main st. fel7 6t

FOR SALE—Or trade, for horses or house and lot, two coupes and one hack; dirt cheap. Inquire Grand Central Hotel. ja31 1m

FOR SALE—Iron Sulphur Water, by the leading grocers and druggists. ja15 tf

FOR SALE—LIVE STOCK.

FOR SALE—Or rent, ten head of grade Jersey cows, all young and big milkers, by C. S. HAWLEY, near Glendale. fe21 1t

FOR SALE—A pair of fine buggy horses for sale; will drive single or double. Inquire of E. L. BARNARD, St. Charles Hotel. fe21 5t

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FOR SALE—A team of good horses and light wagon, or will exchange for one good horse and light rig. Address P. O. Box 1375. fel9 6t

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A SPLENDID OPENING—For the right party, to start a Sanitarium. Very near to Pasadena, the garden spot of Southern California. Elevation 2000 feet above sea level. Location best in the valley for an institution of the kind. Pure mountain water; grand view of Pasadena, the whole valley and the ocean, in the distance; dry air; no fogs; just the place for an invalid. The property is for sale cheap, and the right man can build up a big business. Apply to or address ED. L. FARRIS, Pasadena, Cal. fe21 4t

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FOR SALE—$5500 will buy the whole, or $2250 a ½ interest in stock range, with plenty of water, grass, timber, fence, 2 cabins, tools, saddles, etc., beside 55 fine grade Durham cows, 2 Durham bulls, 11 yearlings, 25 calves, 7 mares, 3 geldings and 4 colts. Inquire of H. H. BIXBY, No. 415 Buena Vista st., Los Angeles. fel4 tf

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TO LET—502 Spring st., $30 per month, large store and dwelling rooms. fe21 2t

TO LET—$80 per month, 23 S. Main st., opposite the market; the store is large, well lighted and has a rear entrance from Los Angeles st. fe21 2t

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TO LET—Vienna Theater, by day, night, week or month. Inquire of JOHN C. BELL, the auctioneer, 126 Nadeau block. de29tf

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REDUCTION SALE

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Since moving my stock from the Baker Block store to my Hollenbeck Block store, I find I have too many

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Too many Ladies' Cloaks.

Too many all-wool Blankets.

Too many Ladies' Fine Dress

Too Large a Stock

Of Gents' White Dress Shirts, Flannel Over Shirts, Underwear, Linen Cuffs, Collars, Socks and Handkerchiefs, Ties, Cravats and Scarfs.

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Table Linen, Sheeting and Flannel. Too many beautiful Lace Curtains, Portiers, Curtain Poles and Fixtures, Towels, Napkins, Bed Spreads and Comforts

LOOK AT OUR CENTER COUNTERS.

You are sure to find great bargains. I am determined to sell, if low prices will do it. Housekeepers will do well to call during this GREAT REDUCTION SALE.

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On the Installment Plan.

The Norton tract has been subdivided, and is now on the market. The location is superb, being above frost, free from dust and commanding one of the finest outlooks in the city. The best water in the county is on the tract, and will be piped in front of each lot.

This tract is but three minutes' walk from depot at the L. A. and S. G. V. R. R.

Call early and select your lots on terms to suit.

Prices ranging from $80 to $180, payable $10 to $20 each month.

fe20 1m ROOM 31, NADEAU BLOCK.

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MRS. W. H. POTTS,

Dress and Cloak Maker,

Begs to inform her customers and the ladies of Los Angeles generally that she has removed from East Los Angeles and rooms 64 and 65 Nadeau block, to 298 S. Spring street, where she intends to carry on her business, having had long experience in some of the leading houses in Europe, and is now prepared to execute work on the shortest notice, guaranteeing good fit and style at reasonable prices. Note the address

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$2250 NEW HOUSE OF SEVEN rooms, on Griffin ave., East Los Angeles, one block South of Downey ave.; large lot.

$1250—First-class 4-room cottage on Sichel st.; lot 51x155 to 20-foot alley; one block from street cars.

Also 17 lots from $300 to $600, one block from Downey ave., near new school, street cars and electric light. Very liberal terms on any of above.

Apply to owner from 11 a. m. to 12.

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No. 23 South Spring Street,

Between First and Second. Rooms 4 and 5 over Mosgrove's Cloak House.

Gold fillings $2 00

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Painless Extraction of teeth by vitalized air or nitrous oxide gas.

Teeth extracted for 50 cents.

Best Sets of Teeth from $6 to $8.

We guarantee a perfect fit.

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2000 Acres

With one of the finest water rights in Southern California. Also 800 acres of the very best land to be had anywhere, unsurpassed for fruit and vines. Also 160 acres of warm belt foothill land, with improvements. There is no similar tract in the market at any price. Also 150 acres of first quality land, with full water right and under main ditch. Also 10 acres in the city, covered with fruit, the very best property of the kind. Also cottage and two large lots on Boyle Heights. Also a choice 10-acre tract and a 4-acre tract at Pasadena.

The above we believe to be the best property to be had anywhere at the present time for the prices. I only ask investors to look at them before buying any place. We will take pleasure in showing each and every one to any one seeking first-class investments, which will speak for themselves.

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DRESSMAKING PARLORS.

MRS. MAXWELL AND MISS WHALEY,

Respectfully announce to the ladies of Los Angeles and vicinity that they have opened fashionable dressmaking parlors at 237 S. Spring st., and desire a share of their patronage. Will guarantee a perfect fit and satisfaction. Give us a trial no14 tf

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To come to Pasadena immediately and see this bargain.

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For Five Acres on Leading Avenue

All set out with a variety of fruit of all kinds. Ten shares of water piped to the land. This is a rare opportunity, as the owner needs the money.

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Charming Residential Property

HOUSE, HARD-FINISHED, WITH latest improvements, barn, stable, corrals, etc.; splendid water supply; five acres best varieties of assorted fruits. Lovely situation, overlooking city. MATTHEWS, BEATTY & STAUNTON, 6, 7 and 8 Schumacher Block, Los Angeles. fel3 1m

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GREAT BARGAIN—EXTRA WELL-FINished house, in lovely situation, large bath room, pantries, etc.; good stabling, well and city water; two acres of land, with assorted varieties fruit in full bearing; tennis court and ornamental grounds. Owner's departure East necessitates immediate sale, hence the sacrifice. Apply MATTHEWS, BEATTY & STAUNTON, 6, 7 and 8 Schumacher Block, Los Angeles, Cal. fel3 1m

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GENUINE INVESTMENT—$20,000 WILL purchase one of the finest real estate bargains in city property, which is on main thoroughfare. Will give big returns even on present rental, which is extremely low. MATTHEWS, BEATTY & STAUNTON, 6, 7 and 8 Schumacher Block, Los Angeles. fel3 1m

A SAD STORY.

WRITTEN EXPRESSLY FOR THE TIMES BY PROF. DE LERY.

CHAPTER III.

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"Ah, me!
"Almighty Justice! in what store thou heap'st
"New pains, new troubles."
DANTE. Inferno, Canto VII.

It is a dear delight for the soul to have trust in the faith of another; it makes a pillow of softness for the cheek which is burning with tears and the touch of pain; it pours a balm in the very source of sorrow; it is a hope undeferred, a flowery seclusion into which the mind, when weary of sadness, may retreat for a caress of constant love; a refreshing and delightful oasis, where a warmth in the clasp of friendship is forever lingering on the hand; a dew of mercy falling on our bruised and troubled hearts. But, alas! there is no solace to the bitterness of broken faith.

So bearing the detrimental reports so skillfully spread by Wilbor, Lena Mansfield became a prey to the most poignant despair. What is possible that the man she loved was a felon? Paul Clifford an ex-convict! At the very thought she shuddered, the palpitation of her heart became fainter and fainter, and, unable to resist the overwhelming weight of her sorrow, she gave vent to bitter and silent tears.

After giving strict orders to admit no one, she retired to her apartment and wrote a brief letter to Clifford, countermanding the orders she had given him a few days before. On receiving the laconic and almost impolite message, Paul was overcome with a painful surprise, but strong in the thought that he had nothing to reproach himself, he attributed the letter to some passing fancy of the young heiress; but when a few days later, while walking on Main street, he bowed to several of his acquaintances, he was greatly astonished, and not less mortified, to see those who were formerly so friendly to him, turn their looks and pass him without recognizing his act of courtesy by the slightest sign. Days went by and his studio, which was the rendezvous of the elite of the city, was now always empty—not a sale, not an order, and everywhere shame and misery seemed to surround him in their odious embrace. Poverty also was approaching with gigantic steps, and, to cap the climax, a letter arrived from London announcing the sudden illness of his mother. Too proud to beg an explanation from those who scorned him, and conscious of having always led an exemplary life, he bent his head with resignation under the reiterated blows of fate, his faith in the immutable and ineffable kindness of the Almighty never weakening for a single moment. It was then in the middle of these moral and physical tortures that the noble, Christian teachings of his beloved mother, and the religious fervor he had always possessed, sustained and comforted him. He did not murmur against Providence, nor did he accuse the Omnipotent of having abandoned him, for he entertained the firm belief that whatever misfortunes befall us in this perishable world is a trial sent us by a Power whose decrees are impenetrable and to whose laws we must abide with faith and resignation. Three months after the Mansfield reception, Paul Clifford was a homeless, friendless wanderer; his former melody had returned more fierce, more alarming than ever, spurred on by wants and exposures of all sorts. The winter had come, a gentle, mild winter, as they usually are in Southern California, sweet and balmy during the interval of rainy days. Then the sun falls in a heavenly flood upon the blooming hills and picturesque roofs of the city of Los Angeles, while the margin of the town is defined by gilt with which tering orange trees shimmering with gold in their deeper shadows, and a variety of wild flowers that charm the eye and transport our fancy into fairyland, and of the dead the title a magnificent panorama set into a frame of the purest porphyry and decorated with resplendent tissues that seem woven from threads of molten silver by the hands of the fairies. To the southeast, tranquil as the vault it encloses, or cradle, less to the eyes, sublime in its immensity lay the broad expanse of San Pedro bay, whose perfumed breeze is ever caressing the splendid crown of the Queen of the Angels, and in the near view is clothed in inexpressible loveliness, and in the distance all bespeaks the grandeur of nature at peace. But unfortunately for Paul, the winter which followed his arrival in Los Angeles had been unusually severe, the rain had fallen in torrents, and the surrounding country had suffered in consequence. One stormy night Clifford, quite ill, and tortured by spells with fever and starving, fell in front of a small adobe house not far from the Catholic cemetery. An old Mexican woman, on hearing the agonizing voice of a human being, and being herself human) went out mindless of the rain, and taking the situation at a glance, ran to a neighbor for assistance. A couple of Mexicans were soon on the spot with a lantern, and a preliminary examination was made.

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When Paul recovered consciousness he found himself in a small, carpetless room, scantily furnished, but neat and homelike. By his side sat the mistress of the house, a dark woman, with large, kind eyes and hair sprinkled with grey. A cough, painful to hear, brought the blood to the young man's lips, the nurse quickly filled a small glass with the contents of an earthern pitcher which stood on the table, and, holding the artist's head, medicine drink the soothing beverage. The patient's head was then carefully deposited on the pillow, and a look of gratitude beamed from his honest eyes.

"Pray, kind lady, who are you?" he asked in a feeble voice.

"My name is Dolores, señor, Dolores Peralta," answered the old lady, kindly, "you were brought here three nights ago, and you are sick, very sick, señor, you must not speak too much."

Clifford called to his aid all his intellectual faculties, and at last realized his distressing condition, he glanced around the room for a few moments, then his eyes rested upon a chair, on the back of which hung his coat. He motioned to the nurse to bring him the garment, and drawing from its pocket a letter, he handed it to Dolores. "I feel that my last hour is approaching, señora," he said slowly, "and I thank my creator for having given me strength enough to fulfil a last duty. This letter is for my mother, I beg of you, kind lady, to send it to her as soon as I am dead, and if she be alive, she will reward you nobly for your charitable action toward her son."

"Nay, good señor," replied Dolores in all simplicity, "I have not done a good action with any mercenary motive, thou can'st rest assured, pobre niño, that, dead or alive, thou will be taken care of as if thou wert one of my own children."

After returning the garment to its place, she approached the patient, and with the tenderness of a mother she raised the coverlet up to his emaciated throat, for the evening was unusually chilly and the room had no fire-place. A small lamp burned on the table and cast its feeble and yellow light upon the pale face of the young artist. Dolores resumed her seat, the tears running down her brawny cheeks, her heart overflowing with pity at the melancholy sight. She was about to commence the first verse of the De profundis, when she was startled by a shadow suddenly cast on the wall in front of her, and a voice trembling with repressed emotion murmured inquiringly, "Paul -Mr. Clifford—does he live here?" Dolores turned quickly and beheld a tall, handsome lady, deeply veiled, standing on the threshold of the door. On hearing this well-known voice, Paul felt new life given him, a sudden reaction, not selfish experienced by dying men, took place; a slight tint covered his forehead, and his eyes fixed themselves imploringly upon the person who had just spoken.

"Lena, Miss Mansfield!" he murmured.

"Yes," said the generous girl, putting aside her veil, "Lena Mansfield, who cannot believe you guilty; there must be some mystery, perhaps treachery, for my heart tells me, Paul, that you are innocent of the charges brought against you."

Paul became livid. Although he did not quite understand the meaning of Lena's words, his last hours were, however, disturbed by a horrible apprehension, he seemed to contend with an invisible foe that oppressed and harassed him, his respiration became shorter and the crimson liquid rose again to his lips. Dolores gently laid her hand upon Lena's shoulder. "In the name of the Lord," she said in a low but impressive voice, "do not disturb the last moments of a dying man."

Although Lena was prepared to meet Clifford in a critical position—for she had read in the newspaper a short article referring to the accident which had happened to Paul—she, however, did not expect to find the artist in such a depth of misery, the wings of Death already shadowing his brow. With a brusque movement, she bent nearer, and for the first time noticed the ravages made by sickness and sufferings upon the comely features of the man she so devotedly loved. Like most of California's fair daughters, she was possessed of a noble, generous nature, her heart was full of love and charity and her soul clung still more firmly to his, in spite or perhaps on account of the profound misery and pitiful condition he was in.

"Oh! Paul! Paul!" she exclaimed, falling on her knees by the narrow bedstead, "pardon me for having doubted you."

"What can I have to forgive you Lena?" said the moribund in a voice that was growing weaker and weaker. "Is not your presence at such a moment a blessing bestowed upon me by He who never forsakes his faithful creatures. I thank Him from the bottom of my heart for having sent you to me as a guardian angel in this supreme instant. Should you ever meet my mother, tell her, Lena, that—I die—with her—name on my—lips."

A profound silence reigned in the room, Dolores prostrated before a picture of the Madonna, prayed fervently, while Lena still kneeling besides Paul, her beautiful head buried in her hands, her throat heaving under the influence of suppressed sobs, appeared like the statue of Despair. Then the hoarse voice of the town clock sounded midnight, at the last stroke, and as if obeying the imperious command of an invisible and mighty genius, the electric lights without ceased to give forth their dazzling rays. At this very moment and by a singular coincidence, a sigh scarcely audible escaped from the lips of the moribund. Arising with an abrupt, nervous movement, Lena bent her anxious and tearful eyes upon the livid features of her lover, but her horrified glance only met the clay with which the body is moulded, for the soul of Paul Clifford had just departed from its ephemeral and earthly abode.

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The visitor to the Catholic cemetery, as he passes through the beautiful grounds of that treasure house of the departed, will observe among the numerous tombs with which it is sprinkled, a humble grave shadowed by two large pepper trees, forming an arcade above, while the two large trunks seem the silent guardians of the dead below. The grave, however, is now empty and abandoned, but at the time of which I speak a variety of rare and beautiful flowers with more than ordinary care. On the right was a large geranium, partly covering the little enclosure, or cradle, less to the eyes, sublime in its immensity lay the broad expanse of San Pedro bay, whose perfumed breeze is ever caressing the splendid crown of the Queen of the Angels, and in the near view is clothed in inexpressible loveliness, and in the distance all bespeaks the grandeur of nature at peace. But unfortunately for Paul, the winter which followed his arrival in Los Angeles had been unusually severe, the rain had fallen in torrents, and the surrounding country had suffered in consequence. One stormy night Clifford, quite ill, and tortured by spells with fever and starving, fell in front of a small adobe house not far from the Catholic cemetery. An old Mexican woman, on hearing the agonizing voice of a human being, and being herself human) went out mindless of the rain, and taking the situation at a glance, ran to a neighbor for assistance. A couple of Mexicans were soon on the spot with a lantern, and a preliminary examination was made.

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OUR PORTRAIT GALLERY.

HORATIO SEYMOUR.

Horatio Seymour has passed away. Although he had been ailing for some time, a fatal result of his illness was not anticipated by those who best knew of his condition and physical qualities. He had had similar severe attacks previous to this one, through which his good physique carried him safely. On Sunday, February 6th, however, he became much worse, and suffered from indigestion and nausea. On Tuesday his symptoms were so favorable that he went out for a ride. He said that although he did not feel particularly sick, he had a feeling of exhaustion such as he had never before felt. Through Wednesday and Thursday he grew steadily worse, although his mind, as in the attacks of 1876 and 1882, was perfectly clear. On Friday he partook of some food and was able to move about in bed, inspiring his friends with hope, but the improvement was only temporary. At 4 p. m. he grew worse, his pulse beating feverishly; at a few minutes before 10 it became evident that he was passing away, and at 10 o'clock, without a struggle or tremor, he died, surrounded by his family, relatives and friends. He died at the house of his sister, Mrs. Roscoe Conkling, in Utica, N. Y.

Horatio Seymour, L. L. D., was born in Onondaga county, New York, May 31st, 1810. He was educated at Geneva College and studied law, and although he was called to the bar soon, he relinquished practice, devoting his time to the care of the large estate left by his father and father-in-law. In 1841 he was elected to the State Legislature, and was re-elected three times, being speaker in 1845. In 1842 he had been made Mayor of Utica, and in 1853 was elected Governor of New York, but was defeated for re-election in 1854. In 1856 he was again elected Governor and opposed the war policy of the National Government, but when the invasion of Pennsylvania took place, in 1863, he promptly forwarded more than the quota of militia required from New York. At the expiration of his term of service he retired into private life, and was not again a candidate for public honors until July, 1868, when he was, against his own wish, nominated by the National Democratic Convention for President of the United States, but was defeated by Grant. In 1874 he declined to be a candidate for United States Senator, although his election was certain, from the time he has positively declined all nominations for public office. If he would have accepted the nomination he would probably have been the Democratic candidate for President in 1876 or 1880. His only publications are some State papers, with some addresses on agriculture.

A Child with Two Brains.

A baby about a month old was taken by its mother to a dispensary at Bellevue hospital, New York, for treatment last week. When the child was born it had a large soft growth upon the forehead which slowly increased in size and firmness. Nothing could be done to reduce the protuberance, which was supposed to be a tumor, except to perform an operation on the child's head and take it out. Before this could be done the little thing died. The consent of the mother being obtained, Dr. Janeway held an autopsy at the morgue, and found that the cause of the swelling was a second brain, which was growing on the outside of the skull, independent of the brain inside, save through a connecting substance that passed through a slight fissure in the bone. Thaumatical specimen, which is a rare one, was put into alcohol to preserve it.

Where the Layman Comes In.

Boston Record.]

Rev. Dr. S., who is a prominent divine in a city not far from New York, had been spending a few days with his brother—an island on the Maine coast, and, intending to depart on a certain morning, he started for the boat, in company with a friend. A porter followed with the doctor's valise. Arriving at the wharf, they found that, to take advantage of the wind or tide, the boat had gone before the advertised time. Not aware of the clerical character of the company, the porter used several shocking oaths in quick succession.

"What do you think of that, doctor?" asked his friend.

"Well," said the doctor, slowly and impressively, "there are times when the services of a layman are indispensable."

What Became of the Boots?

Indianapolis Journal.]

The other day Dr. John Harty's small boy wanted a pair of rubber boots. The doctor tried to reason him out of it, but the youngster persisted in his demand. Finally, the doctor told him a little story—one he had read in the newspaper. The boy was all attention, and the story proceeded: "A little boy in Pittsburg had been given a pair of rubber boots by his father. He waded in the water with them—water ran over the tops of the boots—boy took cold—mother put his feet in hot water—grew worse—doctor came—little boy died—undertaker—funeral." The small boy listened attentively to the end of the story, and the father was congratulating himself on the impression he had made, when, with a long breath, the youngster asked: "What did they do with the boots?"

A Chihuahua Hercules.

Arizona Citizen.]

Out from the depths of obscurity there has come forth a man, now in this city, who is probably destined to become a modern Hercules. His size and appearance give no idea of the iron muscles with which he is gifted, as he is but an ordinary looking person, of medium size and weighs only 160 pounds. His name is Maxime Dantes, a native of Chihuahua, Mexico. He came to Tucson several months ago, since which time he has been engaged in such labor as he could turn his hand to that would yield him a livelihood. He has never had a day's training in his life, and yet, when his wonderful strength became known only last week, he became the center of attraction at the athletic entertainment on Friday night at the Park Theater.

One of the feats he performs is that of breaking in two a five-inch square piece of wood, about three feet long, laid across two chairs, with his naked fist. He will advance rapidly to the suspended wood, with uplifted hand, and bring down his fist like a cannon ball upon it, breaking the wood instantly.

He then placed six heavy men, aggregating about 1200 pounds, on a table, and he raised them up easily from the floor with his shoulders. He says he can lift nearly 1800 pounds in t is way.

Another feat was that of bending a five-eighths rod of iron by a stroke over the extended bare forearm, which seemed to have been very easily accomplished and caused only a small temporary swelling.

As before mentioned, this remarkable man has had no training tending to dev-lop his strength or to give him advantageous points in performing his wonders. He is a modest and quiet person of simple habits, almost unconscious of the great attraction he would make to some large circus or athletic performances, and some enterprising manager will yet recognize in him a valuable addition to his exhibition of wonders.

CALIFORNIA'S CAPABILITIES.

A Good Country from the Sierras to the Sea.

San Luis Obispo Tribune.]

The rejoicings at the north in the exhibits of the citrus fair are like the cacklings of a pullet over her first egg. The success of orange growing in that region is not new to any observant Californian, though the fact may have just been discovered by the general public and now first acknowledged. But a spirit is manifested, in many instances, rather meanly, to make invidious comparisons, to the disparagement of the fruits of Southern California, as if the injury of one section would redound to another's benefit. All Californians should rejoice in the great capabilities of the State. By this capacity and knowledge thereof, California will be better enabled to command and control the market. To California, its lovely clime, its grand domain, the superior quality and abundance of its fruits, the containments of the world will turn their eyes, and her products will have the first call of the markets. Let us all then rejoice at the success of the Northern citrus fair, as well as the Southern Californian triumph at New Orleans. If, at the great exposition at New Orleans, Riverside oranges beat the world, and at the Sacramento fair both Riverside, and Marysville gets a premium over Oroville, and Shasta and Mokelumne Hill and Bidwell's Bar and Sonoma and Auburn and a score of other places all win laurels for the excellence of their fruit, so much the better. We have a grand and glorious country, the best on earth—let us praise it all and make the most of it.

California's advances have all been made by hitch and rush. The pioneers were content to open the country for mining and cattle-raising only The great valleys of the Sacramento and San Joaquin were called deserts, excepting the margins of streams. From one stream or watering place to another was the dread "jornada." Some one bolder or more sensible than the mass planted wheat on the land, and produced an unexpected harvest. Another planted some peach trees, which others ridiculed. Others made wine which was condemned as unfit to drink, unless the bottle from which it was poured bore a French label. Some planted oranges, but blushingly apologized to all who contemptuously glanced at the growing trees that they were only for curiosity and ornament. Only a few years ago the chief occupation we are about becoming convinced of the capabilities of California. Let us now bunch the future. Let us now assert that we can grow anything as well as it can be grown in any locality, and manufacture anything; that we have the best soil and pleasantest climate in the world; that we have the richest and greatest varities of minerals; that our products now exceeds that of any manufacturing country (!) and is most favorably distributed, and that we have the foundation and the means and the prospect of being the richest, leading and most desirable section of God's earth.

The Suey Rancho.

The Lompoc Record publishes a lengthy opinion by James F. Stuart, Esq., of San Francisco, regarding the extent of the Suey Rancho, lying in San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara counties, and the validity of the title. The grant was made April 6, 1837, to Ramons Carrillo de Wilson. No quantity of land was mentioned in the grant, but natural boundaries given. In 1843 a survey was made, and a crude map was drawn. The approval of this by J. Cavillo, said "there resulted about five leagues, a little over," and designated the boundaries: 1—in the Llano de la Larga; 2—in the ridge of the Potrero; 3—the head of the Arroyo of Santa Maria and the point of the table land in the plain of la Larga. The title to the rancho was confirmed to the grantee by the U. S. Commissioners, by the District Court and by the Supreme Court for eleven square leagues and no more, if found within the boundaries. The decision by the Supreme Court was rendered by Chief Justice Roger B. Taney in 1861, is regarded as settling the matter. The Rancho Nipomo was granted the same day, the Rancho Tepesquit on April 7, 1837; the Huasno Rancho, December 8, 1843; Rancho Guadalupe, March 21, 1840; Rancho Punta de la Laguna, December 26, 1844, and Rancho Todos Santos, August 26, 1841.

The Florida Fashion.

"The Man from Montana" in the Oakland Tribune.]

The real estate agents are frantic and naturally amusing in consequence. One man in Southern Florida has put himself on record as saying that he considers his young grove—which, of course, is for sale—worth 25 per cent. more than before the freeze; and land agents in places so far north that oranges won't grow outside of hothouses, have managed to get it printed that, so far from the orange trees being injured, not even figs and grapes have suffered. It might have been added that the jack oaks, the blueberries, and the tender pitch pines also would probably pull through.

Songs Unsung.

All day, all night, and forever,
Through winters and summers of time,
There floweth a rhyme in the river
Flows seaward, eternal, sublime.

A rhyme of my life all unwritten,
Unuttered and ever unsung—
Like music which slumbers unbidden
Too sweet for the lips and the tongue.

There are songs in the shady way places,
The ear-shot from no noises of the town,
Sweet songs that rude art but disgraces,
And fear as the hands o'er the down.

A music of sombre, weird sadness
Like music of harpises far borne;
With ripples upwelling of gladness
Fake songs of the linnets at morn.

There are songs that are born at the noontide
In many a rural retreat,
When the god pours downward the sunshine
In waves warm and welcome and sweet.

There are songs by the sands of old ocean,
By rocks where the waves are at play,
Flinging spume from the yeasty commotion
Far skyward in fine silted spray;

And where rushings of billows commingle
At the full and flow of the tide,
Ye roar on the shells and the shingle,
And wane as the torrents subside.

There are songs at the bow of the vessel
Oast seaward in lightning and storm,
Where billow meets billow to wrestle,
Nothing white, phosphorescent and warm.

Inspires of songs all unwrended—
Inspirer of songs is the sea;
By Deity's arm undergirded,
Unbounded, bound, fettered, and free.

There's a rhythm that runs with the carriage
Swift reeling the streets of the town,
As ev-er as the bells of a marriage
Or airs from fair Arcady blown;

And a murm'rous mellow uprising—
Soft, strength'ning, sweetest of sound;
A music of no art's devising
Where temples of traffic abound;

Where Croesus great wealth is amassing
In a Babel of word upon word,
And multitudes pass, and repassing,
Mid restless foot falls are heard.

In country, in suburb, in city,
The rhyme rhymeth on fair and fleet,
And though simply, yet sweet is the ditty;
Unfinished, yet full and complete.

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Gen. N. P. Banks.

From the Springfield Republican.]

Gen. Nathaniel Prentiss Banks, the handsome old politician with the peerless white locks and young voice. What a world of memories are recalled as this well-preserved relic of other and great days passes the milestone! Think of what he has been, and seen, and figured in, and the most heroic epoch in the life of the nation rises up for review. The bobbin boy; member and Speaker of the State Legislature; member of Congress and elected Speaker on the one hundred and thirty-third ballot after a struggle extending over two months; Governor of Massachusetts for three terms; Major-General in the army of the Union from 1861 until May, 1864; then four terms more in the national House of Representatives, and now United States Marshal at Boston, in his second term of three years.

Social Solidity.

"The Man from Montana" in the Oakland Tribune.]

The battle of the social editors wages. The Examiner points with pride to its twenty-two solid columns "devoted to a record of social doings," while its hated rival, the Call, was able to dig up only thirteen and three-fourth columns. The battle is fought with a yard measure, and the Examiner boasts that it had twenty-two yards of "solid" matter, while of the petty thirteen and three-fourth yards in the Call, fully a yard and a half was made up of headlines and fashion notes. It is not considered right to trifle with the affections of your readers by feeding them on fashion notes and windy headlines. This, my children, is the battle of giants. Let us gaze on it with awe and prepare our measuring sticks for next week.

Retrospect.

I had a dream, which like some wierd tale
Of ancient times, from out the shadowy vale
Of years long past, came stealing o'er my brain
With magic power to bring them back again.
Around me stood the grand old forest trees,
Their branches tossing in the northern breeze,
And 'mongst them strayed at will a little child,
Where many colored flowers blossomed wild,
Where a dark rolling river hastens by—
The wind grows chill, and dark the troubled sky.
There comes a wail of some one in distress,
And all is one dark wilderness.

At length a pathway opens to my view,
The way is long, the scenes are strange and new
And, at the end, upon broad plains I stand
Where swells roll on in endless reaches grand.
The days fly past, a sound falls on my ear—
The muffled tread of slowly passing years.
An angel's brightness breaks all o'er the scene—
Then darkness comes with phantom forms between:
As oft in dreams the way grows rough and drear,
And, from afar, there comes a sigh too deep
For speech, but like a lover's silent prayer,
Breathed from a heart which has too much to bear.
The playful, guileless child I see no more,
But, for the varied throng which crowd the shore,
A thoughtful, toiling youth with kindly air
Draws from each vial its virtues rare.
The vision's fled—around I see the sky,
Around me rise the mountains bare and high,
Near "plain of life" comes from below
While o'er my grassy couch sweet zephyrs blow.

KANSAS BARD.

High Hill, Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 7, 1886.

FASHIONABLE FLOWERS.

Spring Blossoms Now the Favorites —How they Range in Price and Popularity.

From the New York Morning Journal.]

Spring flowers, now in bloom in the hothouses, are the favorites this month, although the most of them are expensive. The late spring blooms, such as clover blossoms, buttercups and dasies, are very scarce, but snowdrops, jonquils, crocuses and tulips of all kinds are plentiful and retail for $2 and $3 a dozen.

The red and yellow mottled tulips, called "poll parrots," have a faint woody fragrance and make handsome center-pieces for dinner-tables or plaques and stars for ball-room decoration. Scarlet tulips, in both the single and double varieties, are unusually large this year and look like lilies when the petals are turned back. A few placed in a blue or yellow jar make an artistic bit of coloring for the drawing room or dinner-tables.

Yellow cabondalas, which resemble chrysanthemums, are among the early spring flowers, and are very popular just now for corsage bouquets. A large cluster costs from $1 to $3.

The Jacqueminot roses now grown by florists are exceedingly beautiful, being much larger and a deeper crimson than those grown in the early winter. The blooms cut for hand bouquets have stems almost a half yard long, from which the thorns are removed and the cluster backed by a broad and crimson ribbon. The leaves are left with the roses.

The new rose, the "American beauty," has become a great favorite. It is very large and a lovely pink in color, the petals being particularly heavy and closely set. A perfect specimen of this kind brings the grower $2, and a hand bouquet costs in the neighborhood of $50.

At a recent reception the doors were ornamented with panels of pink roses and hyacinths, falling in a long, loose garland. The effect was very pretty.

Belts of pink and red roses are worn with ball dresses. Garlands of roses and other flowers bordering the decollete bodice are also in fashion.

At a debutante luncheon given last week the favors were pink and white hyacinths formed into the monogram of the hostess, and held by pink satin ribbons embroidered with the date.

Pale pink crushed roses are made into lamp and globe shades, and used at entertainments. The heat throws off a delicious perfume, and a large apartment very fragrant, but the roses soon wither.

Forget-me-nots are among the most expensive of cut flowers at this season, as a very small cluster costs $1 or $2.

Russian violets have found a new use. Two or three of them are placed in each finger-bowl at dinner parties, and lukewarm rosewater is poured over them before the bowls are passed.

SHIP BELVEDERE.

New Discharging Two Thousand Tons of Wellington Coal at San Pedro, Direct from the Mines—Rented Rates

For wholesale and retail quantities. This superior coal has no equal in this market, and is guaranteed to give better results and greater satisfaction for the money than any other class of fuel used. It can be used in any ordinary grate or stove with wood, without two cords of the best stove wood. Special rates will be given for carload lots and over delivered on the line of the S. P. R. R. For sale at all of the principal retail coal yards in the city and county. Ask your dealer for it.

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Dr. E. Robbins' Electro-Magnetic Institute, corner First and Spring streets, entrance on First ste. et, is now fitted up in considerable expense, with everything that is necessary to cure chronic and so-called incurable diseases, by the finest electrical appliances in the world. Turk at any time may be he; also electric sulphur baths. Dr. Robbins has had several years' experience in the Institution of San Francisco, and in Salt Lake City, Denver and three years in Los Angeles, and hundreds of leading citizens will testify to the wonderful effects of electricity in curing chronic diseases when all other means had failed, and therefore all persons suffering should try this new remedy before abandoning all hope. After every treatment the patients are treated with the Massage treatment, by operators of their own as well as physicians. Diagnosis disease without explanation from the patient, free of charge. His office hours are 8 till 12, 1 to 5.

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Is a fabulous discovery. Celery is the greatest nervine known. Beef is nutritive and invigorating. Iron is a tonic for the brain.

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The California Southern Railroad Company has established an office at No. 230 North Main street, for the transaction of freight and passenger business over its line and its connections, the Atlantic and Pacific and the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroads. By this route through Pullman sleepers start direct from Los Angeles and berths may be secured by application at this office.

Round trip tickets between Los Angeles, San Diego, Colton, San Bernardino, Riverside and Redlands as low as to be had at reduced rates.

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Real Estate.

Ventura County, Cal.,

REAL ESTATE,

—FOR SALE BY—

Barnard, Blackstock & Shepherd

Of San Buenaventura, Cal.

No. 121—50 acres of fine level land on a large water ditch, with water right; fenced, and in one of the best neighborhoods in the county. 4½ miles from San Buenaventura. Price $1800, one third cash.

No. 132—100 acres adjoining the above; well improved—a great bargain. Price $100 per acre, on credit.

No. 133—158 acres in apricots and petit grunes in full bearing, three miles from San Buenaventura; 60 in cultivation; 125 acres of choice land, and on time if desire; a fine chance to secure a home at a great bargain. Price and terms given on application to the undersigned.

No. 131—40 acres, a part of lot No. 16, of Rancho Santa Paula y Saticoy, 10 miles from Santa Paula and 10 miles from San Buenaventura, on the telegraph road; on the Farmers' Canal and Water Ditch; water right with this land for 50 acres; 125 acres west of John Cummings, and lying at the east end of the Todd bridge; 30 acres in cultivation; house of two and 6 horses; corn crib for 400 bushels; 2½ apple trees; 50 apricot, 18 plum, 30 peach, 17 grape, 6 orange, 6 lemon, 4 windmill affords abundance of water. Price $7000. No. 108. This land has all improvements desirable the hotel; everything tidy; well, etc. Price $600.

No. 13. 565 acres laying on Nordhoff road, a part of the Ojai rancho. Reaches from the highway to the top of the hill. Has a never water front of over a mile on a trout stream; 100 thousand cords of timber on the land ready to cut, sells on the ground at a net profit of $1.75 cords a cord; 300 acres can be plowed, portions are splendid for fruit. Price $8000.

No. 6. 2200 acres, a part of the Simi rancho lying in Ventura County, 30 miles from Los Angeles; 500 to 600 acres of good farming land; the best of pasture; a number of oil springs on the land. Price $16,000.

No. 12. 50 acres lying on the main road 3 miles east of Ventura; a comfortable house, barn, and 800 bbl. cistern; 10 acres of walnuts, 3 years old; 10 acres of bearing fruit. Price $1200.

No. 125. 450 acres of level land, all of which is fenced, divided into lots of 40 acres each, and lying at the east end of the Santa Clara valley, 3 miles from Hueneme, and 2 miles from the seaport town of Hueneme; 2 miles from the Oxnard beet sugar mill; 2 miles from the Oxnard beet sugar mill; 2 miles from the Oxnard beet sugar mill

Real Estate.

For Sale.

A block on Main st., between Fourth st. and Oster lane, 208.15 feet on Main st., 180 feet on Fourth to 20-foot alley, for $21,5.5. $100 per front foot. But little cash required. Possession after 90 days.

Two lots on south side of Sand street, at corner Prospect place, 60x130 feet. Price $1150.

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540 acres of land between San Rafael and Providencia ranch; last season in wheat; surface water near; fine soil, suited to grapes, apricots, etc.; nice bearing orchards and vineyards adjoining. Price, for choice, $35 per acre in 20-acre lots, net acres, no roads sold; terms, one-third cash, balance in one and two years, at 8 per cent.

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THE LICK TRACT.

Last, but not least, I am now subdividing the last purchase of Mr. Howard W. Mills, Alexander Penney and myself.

Come and investigate the Lick tract. It adjoins Los Angeles City; contains 2400 acres, and equals anything in Southern California. It will be sold in lots of 5 acres or more at prices from $40 to $180 per acre, with water. This is the choice of the county. Title perfect; a full abstract will be furnished with each lot.

M. L. WICKS does not act as an agent, and generally can make terms and prices to suit the purchaser.

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Absolutely pure, clear and soft, and abundance of it.

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Rich, deep and adapted to the production of the peach, apricot, pear, apple, nectarine, plum, prune, raspberry, blackberry, strawberry, gooseberry, cherry, and the entire grape family, both raisin and wine.

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This magnificent property—a gentleman's residence—capable of great profit, is offered for sale on account of the owner's departure from the State.

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30 acres of large, well bearing orange trees.

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27½ acres of 4-year-old Zinfandel vines.

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Family orchard of deciduous fruit trees and 150 young Bartlett pear trees.

Dwelling, 2½ stories, brick foundation, 8 rooms, hot and cold water; two other houses for overseer and employees; large barn, sheds, corral.

The ranch has its own water, conducted in three miles 10-inch iron pipe mains and 4-inch branches. To supply the Knoll, a 7 horse-power engine, capacity 15,000 gallons per hour.

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$150—Lot 2 in block 2, of the Washington tract.

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$1500—Lot at end of Loomis st.

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$6500—Block 15, at west end of Fourth st.

$6000—20 acres of best orchard, vineyard and garden land in the city, in high state of improvement, with buildings.

$10,000—Block 17, at west end of Fifth street.

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$2500 will buy ten acres near the city limits, having on it city water, also a good well. 1½ acres deciduous fruit trees, bearing. 1½ acres muscat vines, full bearing. 2 acres Mission vines, 10 years old. 4 acres Blau Elben vines, bearing. This is one of the cheapest properties in Los Angeles county.

At Duarte, near the Postoffice, 20 acres all in bearing fruit and vines, as follows: 10 acres bearing orange trees, of which 300 are Washington navels, all are strictly first-class. 5 acres in foreign vines, bearing. 5 acres in limes, lemons and apricots. 1 acre alfalfa. House of five rooms, closets, pantry, porches, barn, chicken and other outhouses, near church and school, and all surrounded by a lime tree (not bush) hedge. The limes brought $500 last year. $9000. Half cash, balance on reasonable time.

10 acres outside city limits, 1½ story house of 7 rooms and cellar; well, windmill and 6000 gallon tank, barn and chicken houses, 3 cows, 2 wagons, 200 chickens, choice breed; 3 horses, harness, cultivators and plows. To be sold soon will be disposed of for the small sum of $7000.

Duarte—11 acres, house of 5 rooms, stable and outhouses; plenty water for irrigation; 1 acre of alfalfa; 10 acres in bearing fruit, both deciduous and citrus. $4000.

Also 16 acres near the above that is all under cultivation, with plenty of irrigation water, for $150 per acre.

$10,000 will buy 63 acres of the best model land in Southern California, 6 miles south of the city, all fenced, flowing artesian well, can irrigate the whole; good house of three rooms; 150x200 feet inclosed by picket fence; barnyard 60x250 feet and stable 20x30; must be sold soon, or it will be withdrawn from market.

RAYMOND HOTEL.

Lots for Sale in the

MARENGO TRACT

Adjoining Above Hotel,

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PUBLIC ECHOES.

Letters to the "Times" on Various Subjects.

WARM DEFENSES OF COUNTRY GIRLS.

"Sunday Reading" by a Man with a Morally Sensitive Stomach—Jail Plans: Suggestions by a Contractor.

Sunday Reading.

BY A MAN WITH A "MORALLY SENSITIVE STOMACH."

[We permit this censorious and rather self-righteous correspondent to have his "say"—his day in court—without deserved restriction, curtailment or repression.—ED. TIMES.]

To the Editor of the Times—SIR: In letters to the TIMES, of late, there have been some sensible reflections upon the moral influence of the legal profession and newspapers upon society. I have wondered many a time, while reading the morning paper, why they go to so much trouble and expense to wire and telegraph the prize fights, murders, suicides, rows in saloons and worse places, scandals and legal trials, such as the Perkins-Baldwin case, with all their disgusting details for our Sunday morning intellectual repast, and force them upon a morally sensitive stomach, instead of hunting up all good deeds, disinterested acts of kindness, self-sacrifice and worthy examples in general life. Every one with a grain of moral sense knows that "we become like what we feed upon," morally as well as physically, and whether Sir Charles Dilke or Lucky Baldwin, millions in Europe and America take these nauseating ingredients in their morning meal, thereby familiarizing themselves with vice and crime; "they first endure, then pity, then embrace."

How much money the TIMES (a representative paper) pays for this species of news, knowing at the same time its effect upon society—or, in other words, how much the TIMES pays for this species for the purpose of corrupting society—which will you have? is for the TIMES to estimate and account for. But you will say: "I sell it at a profit; it is just suited to the public taste, and if I did not serve out this stuff, others would, and my paper would go down"—the saloon-keeper's apology. [We do not say anything of the sort.—ED. TIMES.] Now you fill whole columns of the paper with this death-dealing and life-crushing contagion for the money it brings you, or your natural affinity for the work—which? or both? [If we should say to the self-righteous author of this "cinching" sentence, "Sir, you are a liar or a knave—which? or both?" what would he say?—ED. TIMES.]

The legal profession, like the journalist, is in the market, and for a fee will clear the guilty or convict the innocent; for a part of the plunder will turn the robber free, and restore him to public confidence. But he shows his perverseness in its strongest light, and becomes, in its worst sense, the enemy of society, when he defends such a monster as Baldwin in his wholesale corruption of society. *Pure homes are the hope of the world.* The lawyer makes him an innocent and abused man, and his victim, a girl of 16, a character too vile to mention; and, worse than all, witnesses are bribed to perjure themselves to make this girl what she is not, to clear him who ruined her.

I have wondered, in view of a law of compensation, in which some believe, whether Col. Wells has daughters and what he would do if he were the elder Perkins, and what he would think of the attorney who would suborn witnesses to sink deeper still his child who had already sunk to a depth from which she could never hope to extricate herself in society. I understand Col. Wells is a dignitary in the Methodist Church and the superintendent of a Sunday school. What does his church and his Sunday school think of the reading he has been furnishing them the last two weeks? If the church and Sunday school peruse and enjoy it, what is the moral status of said church? The silence of the church in this case must be taken as an indorsement of Wells's course in defending Baldwin, in defending innocence and the bribing of witnesses to swear away the purity of a child.

Has Col. Wells an affinity for this kind of business; or is he simply doing this nasty and most demoralizing work for money? If the legal profession occupied the moral eminence I can imagine it should, Baldwin would be without a lawyer to defend him and the newspapers would have better reading and the lawyers would sleep sounder. May I inquire, before closing, whether bar associations have any morals or enjoin any professional morals upon its members to speak of? and whether we have not reached a point in the world's progress where moral maxims may be studied and practised by lawyers as well as others; and whether a move toward the moral elevation of the bar would not have a very salutary effect upon society in general?

JORDAN COX.

121 N. Hope street.

[Mr. Cox appears to have been an exceedingly careful and industrious reader of the "death-dealing" and "life-crushing" literature of which he complains. The TIMES has no response to make to his criticisms, except to reassert its settled conviction that the policy of *suppressing facts* is no way to attain the ends of justice. Let the truth come out, and by the facts let the court and the people judge!—ED. TIMES.]

Indignant Letter from a Shop Girl.

To the Editor of the Times—SIR: Can you inform us as a class what we are to do here in open daylight, in a Christian city, in a free country, in an enlightened age, to be obliged to stand still and be most grossly insulted before the world, and be called a gang of prostitutes by a creature calling himself a man, right in what is supposed to be a court of justice? Are we obliged to remain passive and bear such cruel insults, or have we any friends ready and willing to take our part? Are our ministers satisfied that we deserve to be classed among harlots simply because we are poor, tired slaves, trying to earn our daily bread by toiling long, weary hours for our employers for the wages they see fit to pay us, or does the community condemn us for so doing? Many of us depend entirely on what we earn. We know that the city shop girl has a very hard time, and our expenses are quite heavy, for we must make a decent appearance. And another thing, every girl cannot obtain a situation in city stores. Then why is it that man who is called Col. Howard, representing himself to be a gentleman, allowed to talk of us as he did on Thursday? Does he know that we are bad as a class? God help the poor work-girl anyway, for her lot is hard, if she must both work hard for her daily bread and bear ignominy as well. Oh, where is our boasted Christianity? Where are our Christian ladies and our honorable gentlemen, heads of families, fathers and honorable brothers? Will they not come to our rescue—will not somebody defend our reputation? There are now living in this city good wives and mothers who were once shop-girls, and who are now respectable members of society. We know that the millionaire's gold cannot buy the virtue of all shop-girls any more than it can buy the honor of all men.

Now, Mr. Editor, we appeal to you, as a gentleman and a father, to defend our good name if it be only for the sake of the name of our fair city. It is hard to have strange ladies come into our stores and think that they are being waited on by a lot of bad characters in the shape of shop girls. Hoping you will not let this drop where it is, I respectfully leave it in your hands.

ONE OF THE BELIED SHOP-GIRLS.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 19, 1886.

"Country Girls."

To the Editor of the Times—SIR: In the name of the young women of California, I protest against the uncalled-for arraignment of "country girls" and "shop girls" by Col. J. G. Howard, counsel for E. J. Baldwin in the notorious case recently before the courts of this city. A man who can unblushingly utter in public such sweeping statements derogatory to the fair fame of those numerous young women who find it necessary to work for a livelihood, or who are brought up outside the limits of the angelic (?) cities of this State, has little sense of honor and little respect for the sex he libels.

I do not believe there is such a laxity of morals among California girls as he indicates, or that the standard of womanhood is any higher on the part of the city belles than that entertained by the classes he derides. He obliges one to infer that he is intimately acquainted with "girls in brothels," as he knows that they "do the same way;" and he has not the justice to give respectable, if poor, young women a fair chance in the world.

AN INDIGNANT WOMAN.

Los Angeles, Feb. 19, 1886.

Dr. Shaw's Big Scheme.

"THERE'S MILLIONS IN IT."

To the Editor of the Times—SIR: Does it not appear childish and ridiculous that this section should be an applicant for national aid in the matter of a harbor, or breakwater, when our natural resources are such as to make us, of all sections, the most able to help ourselves? Every evidence points to the fact that an artificial harbor is required in this vicinity. There is nothing to prevent building one, and on ground where it will be permanent and as beneficial as a natural harbor. The scheme of floating protection to wharf and shipping is impracticable.

The only practicable harbor that comes up to the requirements of our case is the one devised by myself for the exigencies of our case. It is the section of an equilateral triangle placed in two segments of a circle, overlapping each other to form the entrance; and, in order to be permanently useful, a point on the coast has to be chosen to make this available. All points would not do, and especially such as the one where the present landing is being carried on. The very nature of the ground and the currents make it the worst place on the coast for any work of that nature. A clean bottom and good depth of water near shore are indispensable. There is the best reason to know that this work will pay interest on cost.

F. M. SHAW.

Jail Plans.

To the Editor of the Times—SIR: Some time ago the honorable Board of Supervisors advertised for plans for a county jail. After due consideration the plans presented by John Hall were accepted.

By referring to your issue of yesterday I find that the Board are investigating certain statements presented before them by Mr. Hall.

Among other matters the fact was brought to light that, of the many contractors in this city only two desired to enter a bid for said jail, owing, perhaps, to reasons as intimated by Mr. Hall.

Such being the case, I would suggest that the honorable Board, for the protection of themselves, the public and contractors, reject the plans and the specifications accepted, and readvertise for plans and specifications anew. Remaining yours respectfully,

CONTRACTOR.

Los Angeles, Feb. 20, '86.

THE RAYMOND AND WHITCOMB.

One Hundred and Forty-seven More Excursionists.

The Raymond and Whitcomb excursion arrived yesterday afternoon via the southern route, in charge of I. A. Whitcomb and Carroll Hutchins, assisted by Coolidge Barnard and Arthur L. Spring.

The members of the party are as follows:

Hon. F. F. Adams, wife and daughter, Erie; Edward C. Amer, Philadelphia; Miss A. L. Ashcroft, South Boston; Mrs. Julia C. Barnum, Rochester; Miss E. M. Bartram, Miss S. J. Bartram, Black Rock; Jos. Boyd and wife, Marlboro; Miss G. E. Bradley, Meriden; Horace Briggs and wife, Buffalo; Amos S. Brown and wife, Ernest L. Brown, Lynn; Miss Alice H. Clark, Boston; D. A. Corey and wife, Fitchburg; Miss F. E. Cowee, Gardner; Miss Agnes D. Curtis, George R. Curtis and wife, Lemuel J. Curtis and wife, Meriden; L. F. Darling and wife, Halifax; Frederick Davis, Miss Henrietta Davis, Newton; John E. Day, Worcester; Miss Jennie F. Denison, New Bedford; H. F. Doble West Quincy; Mrs. S. Helen Douglass, South Bethlehem; Mrs. E. J. Dykeman, Philadelphia; Miss Margaret C. Earle, Mrs. Sarah B. Earle, Washington; E. H. Eldridge and wife, Taunton; Miss Myra Force, Philadelphia; Miss E. H. Frost, Charlestown, Mass.; Miss Flora E. Goodwin, West Dresden, Me.; Mrs. Robert B. Gray, Boston; Mrs. H. A. Greeley, Miss Nellie D. Greeley, Nashua, N. H.; A. M. Greenwood and wife, Master L. H. Greenwood, Gardner, Mass.; Thos. R. Griffith, Erie, Pa.; G. F. Hall and wife, Boston; Mrs. Thos. Hall, Auburndale, Mass.; Edward O. Hart and wife, Taunton, Mass.; Miss Mary Harvey, Wilkes Barre, Pa.; Miss E. Hathaway, Miss E. R. Hathaway, H. Hathaway and wife, New Bedford, Mass.; Henry Heywood and wife, Miss Helen R. Heywood, Gardner; Mass.; James W. Hill, Manchester, N. H.; Elbridge Howe, Miss Emily B. Howe, Marlboro, Mass.; Miss Anna F. Hunter, Newport; Theo. W. King, Harrison Square, Mass.; Morris Knowles, Lawrence, Mass.; Miss E. M. Larkin, Miss F. F. Larkin, H. A. Latimer, W. G. Latimer, Boston; Miss G. Lawrence, H. L. Lawrence and wife, Arlington, Mass.; Mrs. J. A. Leach, Boston; Mrs. Edward S. Loop, Wilkes Barre, Pa.; J. W. Macomber and wife, Miss L. H. Macomber, New Bedford, Mass.; Miss Martha A. Maffet, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; Philip L. Moen and wife, Miss Sophie Moen, Worcester, Mass.; Edgar Munson and wife, Williamsport, Pa., W. H. H. Newman and wife, Miss M. Niebuhr, Boston; John Osborn and wife, J. Edward Osborn, Mrs. Joseph Osborn, Peabody, Mass.; Miss Louise C. Pierce, Miss Mary B. Pierce, New Bedford, Mass.; Miss Ella F. Pope, G. W. Pope and wife, Boston; Miss Helen W. Prescott; Miss M. Prescott, New Bedford; Charles Putnam and wife, Lexington; Mrs. S. R. Ranney, A. H. Rhodes, Miss F. R. Rhodes, Boston; Miss Jessie Riemer, Miss Stella Riemer, Baltimore; John Rose, W. G. Rose, Hornellsville; Miss Fanny M. Sanborn, Dr. J. E. Sanborn and wife, Rockport; Wm. H. Sayward, Dorchester; Miss Amelia P. Simpson, Miss Eunice J. Simpson, James Simpson, Newton; Miss Elizabeth A. Smith, Newton Centre; Miss Maria L. Smith, Stamford; Miss S. A. Smith, Dorchester; William M. Snow, Albert Stoddard and wife, Boston; J. F. Sturdy and wife, Attleboro Falls; Mrs. Henry P. Sturges, Boston; Edgar M. Swift, Dorchester; Charles Taber and wife, Miss Sarah H. Taber, New Bedford; O. A. Taft and wife, Mrs. J. H. Tandy, W. H. Thomes and wife, Miss E. B. Tilton, Boston; Wm. J. Towne and wife, Newtonville; Appleton Walker, Worcester; Cyrus Washburn, Wellesley Hills; A. Davis Weld, Jr., and wife, Miss Helen C. Weld, Boston; Mrs. Henry White, Williamsport; W. P. Wiggin and wife, Cambridge; Miss Julia Yeomans, Syracuse; Silas Yerkes and wife, Philadelphia.

Board of Supervisors.

SATURDAY, February 20.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

An ordinance fixing the rates of road poll tax was adopted.

The resolution of B. B. Greenleaf, road overseer of Santa Ana road district was accepted, and John Cubbon was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Bids for furnishing drugs to the county hospital were opened as follows: Davis & Whistler, $77.38; C. F. Heinzeman, $62.10; R. C. Guirado, $36.30.

The bid of R. C. Guirado was accepted and bond fixed at $100.

A warrant was ordered drawn on the Anaheim road fund for $50 in favor of T. Boege, to pay for land already deeded for road purposes.

Warrants for $25 were ordered drawn for the benefit of indigent persons.

H. B. Thomas was appointed road overseer for San Antonio district.

A warrant was ordered drawn for $38,000 on the Courthouse and Jail fund in favor of J. C. Kays, City Treasurer, as balance of purchase money for Central school lot.

Elmendorf and Fourth streets in Santa Ana road district were declared public highways.

It was ordered that James S. MacKenzie be employed at $4 per day to make semi-annual examination of county officers' reports.

It was ordered that the petition for the removal of the San José road overseer be heard March 5th at 10 a. m.

Adjourned until March 1st at 10 a. m.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

News from Round About, Here and There.

FROM FLORENCE, ORANGE, SAN GABRIEL.

What the People of These Pleasant Suburbs are Doing—Progress, Population and Personal Points.

Correspondence of the TIMES.]

FLORENCE, Feb. 18.—It is a pleasing continuance of moonshiny nights and sunshiny days. The crops are looking finely and almost everything looks green—excepting the inhabitants. Some of the barley has grown so rapidly that the farmers have cut it down to head it back to prevent lodgment.

Strange faces congregating at the church indicate considerable many newcomers lately. Several probational members were united in full with the church the other Sunday.

Postmaster Clark is doing a thriving mercantile business, and he appears to be just the man for the position he occupies.

One of the trains passing through Florence yesterday was over sixty cars in length.

The Tajauta public school commenced again, on Monday of last week. Mr. Dunsmoor and Miss Dryden continue to wield the educational rods.

The Jackson Bros. have traded their ranch of 60 acres, formerly a portion of the Tansey ranch, for $10,000, and taken its equivalent in Boyle Heights property and money. James Jackson has gone into partnership with Mr. Bothwell, in a livery stable on First street, Los Angeles.

A. W. Thaxter says that a few days since he measured a gum tree, one of many about the same height, which tallied about thirty-five feet high, planted out two years next April.

The Cleveland and Hendricks flag was raised at half-mast a few hours last week in honor of the deceased Gen. Hancock.

J. F. C.

ORANGE.

"MODENA" IS THE NEWEST TOWN.

Correspondence of the TIMES.]

ORANGE, Feb. 18.—The plaza question is still agitated by many citizens.

The Wells-Fargo express office has been moved to the store of D. C. Pixley.

McPherson Brothers have established a branch packing house at Anaheim.

Mr. Ward, editor of the Orange Tribune, has moved into the cosy new house built for his use by Mr. Parker.

Mr. Foster has returned from his visit to Santa Barbara, and likes his location here better than ever. He says, "Los Angeles is the best county in this State, or any other."

The citizens of East Orange, on the Bond and Oge tract, at a meeting held for that purpose, decided to call this settlement Modena. They have established a postoffice, and the settlers each, in turn, take the evening mail from the Orange postoffice, carry it to their office, a distance of three miles, and leave it for distribution.

Saturday evening being the eighth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Way, of Modena, their friends gave them a surprise pound party.

The twentieth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sibley occurred Sunday, and on Monday evening over eighty of their friends assembled and surprised them with an elegant set of chinaware.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Dow, from New Mexico, are visiting at the home of her father, Mr. Webber. They have concluded to settle in this vicinity.

Mr. Calder, of Des Moines, Iowa, is staying with his friends, the Phelps family. This is Mr. Calder's third winter at Orange.

H. P. Stone, of Oakland, is in this neighborhood visiting friends and looking after his interests in the valley.

Mrs. Lapham, wife of the Rev. Mr. Lapham, died of consumption, Saturday, the 13th. Funeral services were held on Monday at the M. E. Church. Deceased came with her husband and family from southern Illinois, for her health, but too late to receive benefit. She leaves a husband and three grown sons.

ALHAMBRA—SAN GABRIEL.

NOTES OF THE WEEK.

Correspondence of the Times.]

SAN GABRIEL, Feb. 17.—Alhambraites are interested to know the route of the proposed San Gabriel branch of the S. G. V. R. R.

Amateur theatricals occupy the minds of our young people considerably. Tomorrow (Friday) evening the Sans Souci play *My Awful Dad*, under the auspices of the Alhambra Lodge A. O. U. W., at Alhambra Hall. The cast comprises A. C. Weeks, Mrs. Glen Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Phillips, H. B. Adams, A. S. Halsted, Charles Phillips, Willie and George Wallace, O. A. Stevens.

Next week the Impromptu Club will play *The Loan of a Lover* for the benefit of some fund of the Church of Our Saviour (*not* the organ fund, *nota bene*). The company is composed of Miss English, Miss Tompkinson, H. P. Adams, Mr. Shoemaker, Mr. Howitt and O. A. Stevens.

Alhambra has been provided with a new water-main. The next things in order are fire-plugs.

The Alhambra Athletic Club has decided to secure permanent quarters.

A number of San Gabrieleños attended the Mysotis dance last night.

Real estate men paste their advertisements on orange boxes at the depot.

From five to ten carloads of oranges leave the depot daily.

Orange trees are blossoming, grapevines and deciduous trees budding three months ahead of time.

Alhambra has a white-labor laundry, which should be liberally patronized.

At the last citrus fair at Pasadena it was currently reported that Alhambra exhibitors lost the first prize, because the committee on awards was composed entirely of Pasadenians. In the coming fair, would it not be better to compose the awarding committee of delegates from various sections? Alhambra wants fair play and proposes to have it, if it is represented at the exhibition.

Alhambra school trustees seem to be indulging in a long siesta. Wake up, gentlemen! The children and their parents do not like the present disreputable quarters. Through some hocus pocus at the division, San Gabriel district was given all the school property, except some second-hand books. There was a good deal of talk about a $5000 schoolhouse then. Where is it? When is the bond election to come off? Why don't you attend to business? Take a brace.

Alhambra Store is being ceiled throughout in good shape.

Major J. R. Dobbins's host of friends here congratulate him on his appointment as general manager of the Orange Growers' Union. If he fights dishonest commission men as successfully as he has the white scale, as one of the commissioners, orange growers will be all right.

THE COURTS.

SATURDAY, February 20.

SUPERIOR COURT (Department One)—*Judge Cheney.*

People vs. Rose Williams: Defendant not being present her bond was declared forfeited, and bondsmen responsible. Bench warrant ordered to issue for defendant, returnable February 23.

Mound City Land and Water Association et al. vs. Louis Phillips et al.: Ordered that A. T. Currier, Geo. Heath and J. M. Fears be made parties defendant.

SUPERIOR COURT (Department Two)—*Judge Hatch.*

Anaheim Union Water Company vs. Yorba et al.: Ten days' further time to plead.

Gibson, ex., vs. Goodhugh: Ten days' further time granted W. A. Morgan, assignee, to answer.

C. W. Bayfogh et al. vs. H. Mayberry et al.: Amended complaint filed. Findings and interlocutory decree signed and filed.

Mr. L. D. North, 472 W. Madison street, Chicago, Illinois, writes us that he has had forty years' experience with cough medicines in his family, and considers Red Star Cough Cure the best of them all.

The Y. W. C. T. U. will meet the 1st and 3d Saturdays of every month at 2:30 o'clock, at the First Presbyterian Church.

Away ahead of all competition, as far as the zenith is above the nadir, is the Great American Dye House of HORATIO MATEEN, No. 9 Aliso street.

Choice Grape Cuttings

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Skillful, reliable and thoroughly scientific dyers at the Great American Dye House, No. 9 Aliso street.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

Stocks and Bonds.

By Telegraph to The Times.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Government bonds dull, steady.

The interest in stocks centered in the news affecting the reorganization of the Reading Railroad Company, and the effect of that news upon coal stocks, especially Lackawanna. Lackawanna opened ⅜ per cent. lower at $128, and before 2 o'clock broke to $126¾ and continued to decline to $125, when there was a quick rally to $125, then another break to $125¾, and closed at $125¾—a net loss of 3⅝ per cent. The remainder of the list was comparatively steady. The market closed irregular, but generally heavy.

Money on call easy, 1⅛@2%.

Prime paper, 4@5.

Sterling exchange dull steady: $4 87¾ for sixty days, $4 89¾ demand.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.

3 per cents	100¾	Kansas & Tex	25
4½ per cents	113¾	Northern Pac	27
4 per cents	125⅝	N P preferred	58⅞
Central Pacific	41	Northwestern	90⅞
Texas Pacific	12⅜	N. Y. Central	106⅞
Union Pacific	48⅞	Or. Navigation	83
United States	64	Transcontinental	31⅜
Fargo	122	Or. Imp'ment	28
Western Union	71⅞	Pacific Mail	50⅞
Denver & R G	16⅞	Panama	98

SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.

Best and Belcher	1 30	Ophir	50
Chollar	85	Potosi	30
Gould and Curry	85	Savage	1 25
Hale and N	2 25	Union Con	55
Mexican	35	Yellow Jacket	1 00

San Francisco Grain Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Wheat quiet; No. 1 shipping, $1 26¾@1 30. Barley dull; feed, $1 27½; brewing, $1 40@1 50. Corn quiet; California, small yellow and white, $1 20@1 25.

Chicago Grain Market.

By Associated Press to the Times.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Wheat active, higher; 80@82½c cash; 85½c May. Corn quiet; 37½c cash; 41½c May. Barley unchanged. No afternoon Board.

English Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 20.—Wheat: Supply good; new No. 2 winter and spring, 7s 4d, steady. Corn: Offered moderately; spot, February, 4s 3d, steady.

Pork.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Pork dull; $11 02½ cash; $11 20@11 22½ May.

Petroleum.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Petroleum steady; United closed at 80⅝c.

Los Angeles Produce Market.

The following is the official record of the Los Angeles Produce Exchange, corrected daily. In the quotations, unless otherwise stated, it is to be understood that the first figure is the highest price bid and the last the lowest price asked. These quotations are for round lots from first hands; for small lots out of store higher prices are asked.

WHEAT—Australian No. 1, $1 40, bid; do No. 2, $1 10, asked; do No. 3, $1 05, asked; White Russian, $1 75, asked; Gold Drop, $1 25, bid; Sonora, $1 35@1 60; Defiance, No. 1, seed, $1 25@1 45; do No. 2, $1 35, asked; Odessa, No. 1, $1 20, asked; job lots, $1 30, asked.

RYE—No. 1, $2, asked.

OATS—Surprise, $1 50@1 90.

BARLEY—Feed, No. 1, old, spot, $1 25; do new, spot, $1 20; Old barley, spot, $1 15; Seller, 1886, 65@75c.

CORN—Large yellow, carload lots, 90 $1 10; do, job lots, $1 10, asked; Egyptian Corn, $1 10, asked; Small yellow, car lots, 90c@$1 10; Large white, $1 10, asked; Small white, $1 10, asked.

FLOUR—Los Angeles XXXX, Extra Family Pat. Rol. flour, $4 50, asked; Capitol Mills Extra Family Pat. Rolled flour, $4 85, asked.

MILL FEED—Bran, $17 00, asked; Shorts, $19 00, asked; Mixed feed, $1 20, asked; do Corn and Barley, $1 30, asked; Cracked corn, $1 20, asked; Cracked barley, $1 35, asked; Ground barley, $1 35, asked; Rolled barley, $1 35, asked.

GRAIN BAGS—Mill sacks, 3@4c; 884 Calcutta spot, 5@5½c; Potato sacks, 2½@3c.

SEED—Alfalfa, new, 13½c, asked.

HAY—Barley, W. B., No. 1, old, $8 50, asked; do new, $12 00, asked; Barley, R. B., No. 1, $12 00@11 50; Alfalfa, W. B., $8 50@10 00 Wheat, R. B., $12 00, bid; Wheat, W. B., $13 00, asked; Oat, W. B., $11 00, bid.

POTATOES—Early Rose, Northern, $1 15@$1 25; Irish Beauties, seed, $1 00, asked; Peerless, seed, $1 00, asked; Oregon Peerless, $1 25, asked; Peachblows, $1 10, asked; new potatoes, $1 00, asked.

SWEET POTATOES—Yellow, 70c@$1 00; Red and White, 50c asked.

BUTTER—Fancy roll, ⅌ lb, 25c, asked; Choice roll, 22½c, asked; Fair roll, 18c, asked; Mixed store, 10@15c; Firkin cooking, 10c, asked.

CHEESE—Large, 12½c, asked; Small, 13½c, asked; do 3-lb hand, 14½c, asked.

EGGS—Fresh, 16@18c.

HONEY—Extracted light, 3½@4c; Job lots, 4½c, asked; Amber, 3@4c; Comb, 10@12½c.

BEESWAX—Beeswax, 20@22c.

ONIONS—Northern Yellow Danvers, $3 25 @3 50.

VEGETABLES MIXED—Chilies, 7½@10c ⅌ lb; Garlic, 13@15c; Cabbage, ⅌ 100 lbs 90c, asked.

BEANS AND DRIED PEAS—Pink No 1, $1 25@1 50; Weavely, 50c, asked; do job lots No. 1, $1 25@1 40; do. do No. 2, 50c, asked; Bayous, $1 60, asked; Lima, $2 50; Navy, large, $1 50, bid; do small, $2 00@2 20; Black-eyed, $1 50, asked; Garavancos, $3 00, asked; Green field peas, $2 00@2 50, Lentils, $3 00, asked.

POULTRY—Hens, No. 1, ⅌ doz, $5 00@6 00; Old roosters, $4 00@5 00; Young roosters, $5 00@6 00; Broilers, large, $4 00@4 50; Broilers, small, $3 00@4 00; Ducks, large, $4 50@5 00; do small, $3 00@4 00; Turkeys, 13@16c ⅌ lb.

LIVE STOCK—Live hogs, 2¼@3c.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches, sun dried, 7½c, asked; do No. 2, 3c; do peeled, 10c asked; do peeled No. 1, 4, 5c, asked; Pitted plums, 10c, asked; Plums, pitted evap., 10c, asked; Blackberries, 14c, asked; Prunes, Cala. French, 7c, asked; do do Cala. German, 5½c, asked; do Hungarian, 7c, asked; Apricots, sun dried, 9c, asked; Apples, evaporated, 7½c asked; do Hunt's Alden, 8½c, asked; do sun dried, 3½c, asked; do, sun dried quartered, 2½c, asked.

RAISINS—Layers, $2 00, asked; Extra London layers, new, $2 25, asked; Three Crown layers, new, $2 25, asked; Loose Muscatels, $1 50@1 75, asked; Bulk raisins, 5@6c; Dried grapes, 3½c, asked.

NUTS—Walnuts, new, 6½@7½c; Peanuts, Cala. No. 1, 5c, asked; do Cala. No. 2, 2½c, asked; do Eastern, 9c, asked; Almonds, S. S., 14c, asked; do H. S., 8c, asked.

CITRUS FRUITS—Oranges, Los Angeles, new crop, f. o. b., $1 00@1 25; Riverside, $2 25, asked; Lemons, seedling, ⅌ box, $1 25 asked; Eurekas, $2 50, asked; Limes, $4 00, asked.

CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod, ⅌ bbl, $12 00, asked.

HIDES—Dry, 17c, bid; Kip, 15c, bid; Calf, 18½c, bid; culls ⅓c less.

SKINS—Short wool, each, 15@20c, bid; Long wool, 75c, bid; Shearlings, 10c, bid.

WOOL—Fall clip, ⅌ lb, 7½c, bid; Spring clip, 10c, bid.

PROVISIONS—Extra light bacon, 11c, asked; Light, 10c, asked; Clear Medium, 9c, asked; Medium bacon, 8¼c, asked; Heavy bacon, 7½c, asked.

LARD—40-lb tins, 9c, asked; 3-lb pails, 10c, asked; 5-lb pails, 9½c, asked; 10-lb pails, 9c, asked.

HAMS—Eastern sugar-cured, 12@14c, asked; California, 10c, asked.

Los Angeles Wholesale Meat Market

Corrected for the Times by S. Mater, 49 South Spring Street.

The following are prices for whole carcases:

BEEF—First grade, 7½c per pound; second grade, 6½c; third grade, 6c.

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LAMB—Spring, 8c.

VEAL—From 7 to 9c per pound.

HOGS—On foot, hard, 3@3¼c per pound; dressed, 6c

Real Estate Transfers.

[Reported by Gillette & Gibson.]

SATURDAY, Feb. 20, 1886.

CONVEYANCES.

A L Garden to Larkin Snodgrass: Undivided ½ interest in Ravena and Garden mines in Tejunga district, $250.

County of Los Angeles and Board of Supervisors to C N Wilson: Lot 6, D G Stephens tract, $4100.

J H Mellette to J N Hughes: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, block 2, Blees's addition to Santa Ana, $2000.

Los Angeles Improvement Company to Second Street Cable Railroad Company: Lot on N W corner of Figueroa street and Lake Shore avenue, $1000.

H W Mills and M L Wicks to J B Lankershim: Assignment of contract to convey lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block B, Baker tract, $9100.

Charles W Davis and Frances Parks Davis, his wife, to Charles W A Davis: 1½ acres in lot 4, Freeman tract, $1050.

Charles W Clement to Mrs Helen McCulloch: Lot C, block 146, Santa Monica, $350.

M L Wicks to Jacob Berlin jr: 50 acres in Ro Cañon de Santa Ana, $2700.

Claude T Adams and Ethlyn T Adams, his wife, to Mrs Sarah H Bessonett: Part of lot 1, C T Adams subdivision of part of Alhambra addition tract, $400.

John Steere to Sterling C Newton: Lot D, block 146, Santa Monica, $350.

Thomas Fitch to M L Wicks: All interest in Ranchos San Vicente y Santa Monica, Boca y Santa Monica and Ballona, $1000.

Sarah S Durbin to Moses S Harriman, Eliza A Harriman and Emma Harriman: s 97-160 acres in W ½ of S E ¼, section 1, township 2 S, range 14 W, $1500.

Johan Christian Schott to Henrietta Ulrike Schott: N acres in N part of S E ¼, section 18, township 2 S, range 13 W, love.

Abner Rush and Emma F Rush (formerly Seaverns) to Edwin M Brown: 51 acres of lot 47, Watts's subdivision of part of Ro San Rafael, $1.

Andrew Glassell to E M Brown: 51 acres in lot 47, Watts's subdivision of part of Ro San Rafael, $1000.

Fred L Allies to Fred Manuel: W 20 feet of lot 19, and E 30 feet of lot 18, Bruning tract, $3200.

B F Porter to Valentine Lopez: Lots 11 and 12, block 17, San Fernando, $10.

Frederick Manuel to Fred L Allies: Lot on N E corner of Third and Olive streets, $6000.

Maurice S Hellman to S A Waldron: Lot 4, block H, Fort Hill tract, $1200.

J R Garthside to B H Merrill: E ⅜ of block 152, and E 17⅛ feet of W ⅜ of same block, Pomona, $2000.

Louis Phillips to Pomona Land and Water Company: Lots 6, 7 and 8, block 46; lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 52; blocks 89 and 90; lot 5, block 105; block 106; lots 5 and 6, block 129; lot 1, block 191, and S E ¼ of block 197, Pomona, $2700.

Meyer Langstadter to W W Seaman: Lot L, block 50, Santa Monica, $1.

Philip Hirschfeld to W W Seaman: Lot L, block 50, Santa Monica, $25.

John P Moran to St Vincent's College: 6 acres in lot 3, block A, H S, $5.

Henry C Ide and Otis H Lockhart to O S Winstanley: Block 1, Brooklyn tract, $500.

George H Bonebrake to David M Sutherland: Lot 13, block 4, Pioneer Building Lot Association tract, $100.

S Washburn to C W Bell: Lots 3, 4 and 5, Washburn's subdivision of lot 12, block N, San Pascual tract, $630.

O A Johnson to Matthew Pickles: Lot 6, block 26, Park tract, and lot 12, block 3, Ocean View tract No 1, $550.

Andrew Glassell to Mary A Townsend: Lot 21, block 19, in lot 2, block 39, H S, $150.

Calvin Hartwell to I W Hellman: Lots 5 and 6, C Hartwell's subdivision of lot 18, Griffin's addition to East Los Angeles, $800.

City of Los Angeles to County of Los Angeles: Central school property, $75,000.

Board of Education of the City of Los Angeles to County of Los Angeles: Lot on S line of Temple street, $63,000.

W H Wakeley to M E Wood: Agreement to convey S ½ of lot 4, block D, San Pascual tract, $3000.

ATTACHMENTS, LIENS, ETC.

Catalina Mazon vs Teodosia Enrique: Execution levied on interest in Ro Los Palos Verdes, $67 75.

MISCELLANEOUS.

H G Bennett to Amos Wright: Partial release of mortgage, book 60, page 569.

A H Judson to Keziah Hunter: Assignment of mortgage, book 55, page 157.

Fred J Smith to J R Garthside: Release of mortgage, book 55, page 408.

A H Judson and G W Morgan to Keziah Hunter: Assignment of mortgage, book 58, page 253.

Mary E Falconer to Mrs Mary N Robertson: Assignment of mortgage from W A Cheney.

JUDGMENTS.

E R O'Neal vs Jean Bonnet: Dismissal.

E B Woolley vs Jean Bonnet: Dismissal.

Louise C Perkins vs E J Baldwin: Cash, $75,000.

Bennett & Bernard vs C L Fisher: Cash, $6039 66.

B Tuomey vs Horatio Warren: Cash, $306 75.

Los Angeles County Bank vs Joseph F Nadeau, Mary A Nadeau, J M Griffith, George J Nadeau, Remi Nadeau, Walter A Nadeau, Laura M Nadeau and Amos F Nadeau: Foreclosure, S E ¼, section 20, township 2 S, range 13 W; N ½ ¼ of section 29, township 2 S, range 13 W; 72 acres in E ¼ of N W ¼, section 27, township 2 S, range 13 W.

W J Broderick vs A R VanNest, Mary Pauline Gravel, Felix E Gravel and Andre Briswalter: Partition lots 5, 6, 18 and 19, block 2, Sanchez tract; lots 19, 20, 21, block X, Mt Pleasant tract; lots 1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 10, 13, 14, 17, 18, 21, 22, 25, 27 and 29, Hazard's subdivision of lot 16, Griffin's addition to East Los Angeles.

Constable's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of Justice E. Banney's Court, of Los Angeles Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California, dated the 21st day of February, 1885, in a certain action wherein Catalini Mazon, as plaintiff, recovered judgment against Teodosia Enrique on the 21st day of February, 1885, I have levied on the following described property to wit:

All the rights, title, interest, claim or demand of the said Teodosia Enrique de Gonzales de Sepulveda of, in and to that certain tract of land situate in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and known as the Rancho Los Palos Verdes, granted by Pio Pico, Governor, to Jose L. Sepulveda and Juan Sepulveda, 3d June, 1846, and for which a patent was issued by the United States on the 22d day of June, 1880, the interest claimed by said judgment debtor being an undivided ⅛ thereof.

Notice is hereby given that on SATURDAY, the 13th day of March, 1886, at two o'clock p. m. of that day, in front of Courthouse, in the City and County of Los Angeles, I will sell all the right, title and interest of said Teodosia Enrique in and to the above described property, at public auction, for cash, U. S. gold coin, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said execution and all costs.

Dated at Los Angeles the 20th day of February, 1886.

fe21 3t Su J. C. CLINE, Constable.

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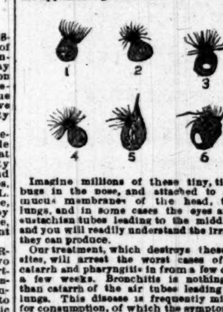

Imagine millions of these tiny, tickling bugs in the nose, and attached to all the mucus membranes of the head, throat, lungs, and in some cases the eyes and the eustachian tubes leading to the middle ear, and you will readily understand the irritation they can produce.

Our treatment, which destroys these parasites, will arrest the worst cases of nasal catarrh and pharyngitis in from a few days to a few weeks. Bronchitis is nothing more than catarrh of the air tubes leading to the lungs. This disease is frequently mistaken for consumption, of which the symptoms are very similar. The large majority of cases can be cured by aid of our new inhalation treatment.

CONSUMPTION.

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More or less pain and soreness are noticeable about the chest.

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If you have part of these symptoms do not think it is merely a cold that will soon pass off, but take treatment before the disease is firmly seated, and you can be cured.

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S. HALEY, M. D.

Los Angeles, Aug. 1st, 1885.

January 2, 1886, Dr. Haley testifies that the case he treated five months ago is still a cure. Dr. Haley is now practicing law at 45½ N. Spring st.

This is to certify that I was troubled with catarrh of the dry variety for about five years, since three years before I came to California, and in one one month I feel that I have been entirely cured by your remedies.

PETER NIES.

Los Angeles, July 4, 1885. P. O. Box 825.

This is to certify that I was troubled for six years with what seemed to be an incurable disease that had resisted the abilities of some of the best physicians of San Bernardino, Los Angeles and San Francisco. I then determined to try homeopathy, and consulted Dr. W. N. Davis, 45½ N. Spring st., Los Angeles, and within two months I was entirely cured.

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I was troubled for three years with a complication of diseases which had baffled the skill of ten allopathic physicians. Some said I had Bright's disease, others spinal disease, and others heart disease.

I was troubled with pains all over my body, was confined to the house and was almost paralyzed. Now, after treating with you for little over a month, I am free from pain, and can walk half a mile without difficulty. I go to church and sit through service with no inconvenience, which I could not do before.

I am still improving in strength, and think in a few weeks more I will be a well woman.

Thanking you for what you have done for me, I am, yours truly,

MRS. MARY LOUTHAN, No. 422 South Los Angeles st.

October 20, 1885, Mrs. Louthan testifies that she is entirely cured.

This is to certify that I have been troubled for four years with bronchitis, and in six weeks I have been almost entirely cured by Dr. W. N. Davis, and have had no suffocative attacks since I commenced treatment.

I can recommend Dr. Davis to any who are troubled with the lungs or throat.

MRS. M. S. STEVENS, Ninth st., near Pearl.

Los Angeles, Jan. 27, 1886.

This is to certify that I have employed Dr. Davis with very satisfactory results, and would recommend him as a physician to any of my lady friends.

MRS. M. J. BUELER, Washington st., near Rosedale Cemetery.

Los Angeles, Feb. 2, 1886.

DR. DAVIS: If it were not for you I am satisfied that I would now be dead with lung disease, which had troubled me for two years as at the time I commenced treatment last summer I was so low that I could not continue my trip East after starting, and was obliged to return from Mojave. I wish to testify that I was entirely cured in three months, and found your charges very reasonable.

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Lot 11, block H, Fort Hill tract.
Lot 12, block H, Fort Hill tract.
Lot 13, block H, Fort Hill tract.
Lot 14, block H, Fort Hill tract.
Lot 15, block H, Fort Hill tract.
Lot 16, block H, Fort Hill tract.
Lot 17, block H, Fort Hill tract.
Lot 18, block H, Fort Hill tract.

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Los Angeles, Feb. 18, 1886. fel9 5t

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CHRONIC BRONCHITIS

Bronchitis is an inflammation of the mucus membrane of the bronchial tubes, and is one of the most common of the pulmonary affections. Chronic bronchitis more often appears later in life. When a cold settles on the lungs the disease either ends in bronchitis or pneumonia. If it ends in bronchitis it usually passes off as a cold on the chest, and still the patient does not feel quite well. He feels tired and languid, and is incapable of taking his usual amount of exercise, and experiences a shortness of breath, with more or less warmth in the palms of his hands. Soon after this a cough appears, accompanied by an expectoration of thick mucus, followed by a hectic flush, loss of flesh and strength and night sweats continue, when the patient assumes all the appearances of having a genuine case of consumption. But this is simply catarrh of the lungs or chronic bronchitis.

In the later stage of the disease the mucus membrane of the larger bronchial tube softens, while in the smaller tubes and air cells of the lungs the mucus membrane becomes congested and inflamed. There are no cavities nor tubercles in the lungs, but merely a wasting away of the larger bronchial tubes, and death takes place from obstruction of the bronchial tubes and air cells of the lungs. The patient dies from exhaustion and suffocation, being unable to expectorate the mucus which accumulates in the passage leading to the lungs, which in some cases is sticky and small in quantity, but more commonly copious, of a light straw or yellowish green. Oftentimes streaks of blood make their appearance in the mucus, and at times there is a disagreeable smell. Persons thus afflicted are liable to take a cold, at which times the mucus becomes clear and frothy, and it is not uncommonly the case that the patient dies in one of these attacks.

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Vine-Growers to Congress.

The TIMES-MIRROR is in receipt of a memorial of a little more than six printed pages, entitled "Brief Resume of the Demands of Vine Growers Respecting Legislation by Congress." It is addressed "To the friends of Viticulture," and is signed and dated at Washington by Charles A. Wetmore, Chief Executive Officer of the Viticultural Commission of California. This memorial embraces, substantially the demands preferred by the Viticultural Association of California and the State Fruit-Growers' Convention held in Los Angeles last November. The principal claims are as follows:

1st. The legitimate wine and brandy industry ask protection against dishonest trade, the foundation of which trade is the rapid development of the manufacture of spurious, sophisticated, and adulterated wines and brandies, which are invariably used to defraud consumers, under the pretense of purity and genuine character, and to rob legitimate producers of a trade that rightfully belongs to them. The spurious goods find markets with retailers and compounders, because they are prepared and sold more cheaply than pure articles, and with consumers because they are sold under false representations. The result of this competition is loss and discouragement to the honest producer, injury and dissatisfaction to the consumer, demoralization in trade by reason of the leveling influence of unfair competition in prices and labels, and a positive decrease in the permanent wealth of the country.

As a remedy for this wholesale adulteration, the memorial suggests that the Internal Revenue service be required to place upon all spuriously manufactured wines and liquors stamps showing their true character; that a commission, consisting of the Surgeon-General of the Army, the Medical Director of Marine Hospitals, and the President of the National Board of Health shall determine doubtful questions as to adulterations injurious to public health and condemn the same. The memorial continues:

2d. Sweet wines require to be fortified by the addition of grape spirits to preserve them from disease and change. Such addition should be free of taxation, provided that nothing but brandy is used in fortification. Brandy should be legally defined as the distillate of fermented fruit juice, unmixed with spirits derived from other sources.

3d. It requires not less than five years to perfect a good brandy; many producers would prefer to wait longer. After brandy is perfect, it requires some time, according to the conditions of trade, to seek a market. Our people should demand that unlimited bonding is a just principle, as the Government has no right to confiscate the goods that a producer is unable to sell. But if any limit is placed on the term for holding in bond, we demand that eight years be recognized as the least period to be fixed by law.

4th. In bonding brandies, the Government should require only security for the payment of taxes. Ample privileges should be granted for producers in bond to divide their packages into convenient sizes to suit the demands of trade and to so care for them, as is done with wine, that we may compete fairly with the carefully nursed products of other countries. The producer should be enabled to take out of bond, with the stamp of the Government, indicating the nature of his goods as well as their age, any sized parcels required for trade, whether in wood or glass. And no compounds of brandy and other spirits, and no imitations of brandy should be suffered to bear a Government stamp, while branded falsely.

5th. In addition to the necessities for fortifying sweet wines, we need for certain trade in tropical countries to fortify to a small degree even clarets; as is the universal practice in Europe. If we send, as we shall soon, wines to Bordeaux in competition with those of Spain, they must be fortified up to the limit allowed by the customs service there, in order to obtain full market prices; this applies, of course, to ordinary grades intended for blending with light wines. For this reason we need a law permitting, free of tax, such fortification.

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With respect to the tariff, the fruit-growers of California ask members of Congress why they should take any steps to stimulate a rival industry in Mexico, where peon and Chinese cheap labor is permitted, while at the same time they forbid the introduction of such labor in California. We demand that fruit shall be protected in any proposed treaty with Mexico or other countries; the only alternative to this is one that our producers would be sorry to adopt, viz: the advocacy of laws tending towards the introduction of cheap and degraded labor into the United States. We cannot look with patience upon Congressional propositions, which on the one hand deprive us, with our consent, of coolie labor, and at the same time propose to subject us to competition with the same labor in a rival country.

Our raisin-producers, who pay taxes for the support of our Government, and who are ready at the call of the President to defend the lives and property of our citizens, but who cannot live the miserable lives of the peasants of Spain, ask that a proper tariff be placed on their products so that they may continue to live equals of the lawyers and schoolmasters who, being free from foreign competition, are too often selfishly inclined as to the industries of those others on whom their own prosperity depends.

POULTRY.

At What Age Should Hens Be Sold?

American Agriculturist.

To those who desire the best possible profit on poultry, it is a question of no small importance: "At what age should the hens be sold?" I may, indeed, ship both poultry and eggs to the city, but the cost on small lots would eat up all the profits over and above that which I would receive from my country merchant. In my own neighborhood, spring chickens hatched in April, and of large, broiling size, are worth twenty cents apiece. This is but little, if any more than the actual cost to the raiser. If kept, the pullets at six months of age will begin to lay. This is some weeks before Christmas, at a time when eggs bring their best price. Between their start and the time when hens are in demand for market in the spring, these pullets, if well fed and cared for, will lay one hundred, or eight dozen eggs. These, at the usual price here in winter, viz: twenty-five cents per dozen, are worth two dollars. A good Brahma pullet, or any of the larger breeds, may be kept laying all winter and spring, and still be kept in good condition for the table. At that time a hen will sell for thirty cents, and this will pay for the feed the hen will consume up to that age, apart from what she will pick up in foraging around, if allowed free run upon the farm. There will then be a clear profit of two dollars on each hen at one year old, and this is more than can be reasonably expected at any other period of a hen's existence. After this, the expenses on a hen increase, to say nothing of the risk, and the profits diminish.

It is clear then that it pays better to [se]l at one year old, after getting one winter's laying, rather than to keep hens to a greater age, or to sell them as broilers. Young and vigorous hens produce the largest number of eggs. Do not keep old fowls, or indeed, old stock of any kind. Of course a number, say one or two dozen hens on each farm, must be kept to an older age for breeding purposes; but the stock poultry and the laying hens should always be kept separate, if possible. The breeders and layers require different treatment. Every spring a full quota of layers must be raised for the next winter's laying force. Only the male chicks are to be sold early, the layers are to be sold after one season, and the breeders at three years. Conducted in this way, there is some money in poultry, even when sold to the country dealer.

Cocoanut Culture in Florida.

S. F. Bulletin.]

During the last forty years experiments have been made in Florida with the cocoanut palm. They were on a small scale, but sufficient to show that the tree will flourish in suitable localities in that State. About six years ago an attempt was made to plant with a view to business. Several thousand trees were set out at Lake Worth, some of which are now in bearing, and since then many plantations have been made on the small islands near Key West. The most extensive experiment, however, is that of Messrs. Field & Osborne in Dade county, between Cape Florida and Jupiter Inlet, where they have about eight thousand acres which they are devoting to cocoanut culture. The land was purchased from the Government at a low price. Being part of the Everglade regions it was considered of little value, although capable of improvement by drainage. The land lies between the sea and a network of bays, rivers and sounds, disconnected by narrow strips of land, but themselves connected by inlets with the ocean. The strip varies in width from twenty rods to a little over a mile. The vicinity of the sea is deemed requisite for the successful growth of the cocoanut palm. This chain of inland channels receives the fresh water flowing from the Everglades, which prevents its leaching through this strip of land. Easterly winds frequently drive the Gulf Stream waters along the coast, producing a tropical climate and insuring a fine growth of vegetation. On this strip about 200,000 trees have been planted during the last two years. Northern labor is used, that of the vicinity being unfit and incapable; the planting is done during the winter and for the remainder of the year the trees take care of themselves, requiring very little attention. They are planted about one hundred to the acre, begin bearing in six or seven years, and produce almost continuously until seventy or eighty years old. There is no danger of overstocking the market, as besides the use of the nuts for eating and cooking, the tree and fruit together furnish a great variety of valuable commercial products, including cordage of excellent quality, oil, palm wine, arrack, copra, etc. Recently experiments have been made in France which show that the husks of the nuts properly prepared furnish a valuable packing for the water-line of war vessels. After the passage of shot or shell through the mass it expands so as to stop leakage entirely.

California has shown her ability to compete successfully with Florida in her citrus products, but it is possible that in the successful cultivation of the cocoanut the latter has the field to herself. The tree naturally seeks salt water, a low, sandy soil, and a moist, hot atmosphere. These conditions are hard to find in California, but in some instances success has followed cultivation where some of them were lacking, particularly the presence of the sea, and it might be worth while for some of the residents of Southern California to try their fortune and test the possibility of adding a new industry to the future of the State.

Amber Cane for Stock.

Rural Press.]

We recently printed an interesting letter describing one of our readers' favorable experience with sorghum cane as a forage plant. His experience is like that of many others in different parts of the State, and should lead all who have land adapted to the growth of the cane to try it as a summer food when the pastures become short. It can be treated and used just as fodder corn, and the advantage it has is its superiority as a plant. We notice that Dr. Sturtevant of the New York Experiment Station, has made a careful comparative test of corn and sorghum fodder and concludes in favor of the latter. The details are given in the last volume of the reports from the station. He tried both ordinary field corn (flint and dent) and sweet corn in comparison with amber cane.

Both were planted on the same day, on plats similar in character, and receiving the same fertilization and cultivation, and harvested on the same day, the corn then being in full growth, but the cane not having reached its full development. Taking six plats of corn and three of sorghum, the results in weight of green forage were as follows, viz: Average yield of corn per acre, 12.08 tons; highest yield, 16.30 tons; lowest yield, 7.95 tons. Average yield of sorghum per acre, 17.96 tons; greatest, 22.54 tons; smallest, 12.08 tons. It will be seen that the amount of green forage from sorghum per acre was considerably in excess of that from corn, and that, notwithstanding the sorghum, as stated, had not made its full growth. Had the comparison been made with some of our large varieties of Western corn the difference would not have been so great.

But then again, the early orange and other varieties of cane give a heavier growth per acre than the early amber, and would probably give a proportionately heavier crop of green forage than our large Western varieties of corn. Those who have fed green sorghum to stock, we think, very generally regard it as superior to green corn for feeding purposes, and since it gives a heavier crop in tons the inference would be that it is a better forage crop than corn.

Dr. Sturtevant mentions the fact in Eastern experience, that it requires a little more work to grow the sorghum, as it does not start and grow as quickly as corn, and therefore requires more cultivation. This we imagine may not be so noticeable in California, where there is not the same chance for a summer growth of weeds.

North American Bee-Keepers.

L. C. Root, of the American Agriculturist, presided at the 16th Annual Session of the North American Bee-Keepers' Association, held at Detroit, Michigan, during the closing days of the year. The leading bee-keepers of many of the States, as well as the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec were present, and the gathering was a large one.

In his address, President Root gave a general review of the present aspects of bee-keeping, as a business. He said, among other things: "It is evident that the effort has been too much in the direction of increasing the production, rather than to create a corresponding demand for the same. I think I am safe in the assertion that no effort of ours is needed which shall tend to an increased production of honey for our present, general, overstocked market. Last season extracted honey was shipped to New York from California by carloads. The market was already overstocked with the best grades of Eastern honey, and the result was such that California bee-keepers will hardly care for a repetition of the experience. Honey has been shipped largely this year from the Eastern and Middle States to New York, and the outcome of this has been that the choicest white honey in sections has sold at ruinously low rates, and some of it has actually been returned to grocers in our own vicinity. We must enlarge our field of consumption. This can be done by encouraging home consumption, and also by opening up new avenues for the uses of honey. It has been a source of great regret to me that our Agricultural Department at Washington has taken no special interest in bee-keeping. I am now extremely gratified to report that our industry is beginning to receive a share of attention. In the thorough revolution, which our business is destined to undergo, I foresee that the Government will become an efficient aid in the line of scientific investigation, and of protection to our interests. No greater good fortune has ever befallen bee-keepers than this new departure."

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

It is estimated that of the two thousand million bushels of corn grown this year, less than five per cent. will be used directly as human food. The price of this large crop is, therefore, only slightly affected by that of wheat, and is more dependent on the prices of the pork and beef in the making of which the great bulk of corn is fed.

British farmers want a Minister of Agriculture. It was unanimously agreed at a farmers' meeting held last month that the government be urged to appoint such an officer, "in order that questions affecting the British agriculturist may be placed before Parliament in such a manner as to receive the consideration which from their importance they imperatively demand."

It was once thought that wheat would always be the staple crop of Minnesota, but this impression is undergoing a change. The dairy business now presses close on the wheat crop and will soon exceed it, though it is possible that there, as elsewhere, the improvement of the land by keeping more stock may enable farmers to grow more wheat than they could by devoting all their land and labor to that expensive and exhausting crop.

The brutal and wasteful practice of attempting to feed and rear cattle in the Western ranches without protection or food has received a severe and costly check within the past few weeks. A farmer would be arrested in New England for cruelty to animals who should turn adrift a herd of cows in January upon a clearing on the side of the White Mountains, yet in the far West, Eastern capital in the hands of Western speculators is trying to rear cattle in snow banks, without food, shelter or water, without protection from the destroying blizzard. Proper shelter and forage crops are among the essentials of future successful cattle raising in the West as well as in the East. Forty below zero is just as cold in Montana as in Vermont, and unprotected cattle freeze to death as quickly in the former Territory as in the latter State.

OUR PUZZLE CORNER.

[Readers are invited to aid in making our Puzzle Department interesting by the contribution of good original charades, enigmas, rebuses, etc. Communications for this department should be addressed to W. H. Eastman, East Sumner, Me.]

1.—Charade.

Now list, I pray,
To what I say;
If honored you would be,
My *first* avoid,
Nor be decoyed
By evil company.

To *second* friend,
Oh, never lend,
E'en once a listening ear;
That was the way
That old dog Tray
Came to his death, we hear.

You know the rest,
At least you've *guessed*
The *whole*, I'm sure, ere now
A sailor bold,
Whose story's told
In dates of long ago. ALDINE.

2.—Decapitations.

1. Behead an unmarried woman, and leave assistance.
2. Behead a man in command, and leave a flower.
3. Behead a girl, and leave an animal.
4. Behead a boy (as he would be called in Scotland) and leave a girl's name.
5. Behead a man of chivalric rank, and leave a time for rest.
6. Behead a superficial young man, and leave a boy's nickname.

J. O. H. N.

3.—Hidden Word-Square.

1. Here is a package of tapioca Melissa sent you.
2. When I see a boy smoking a cigar, I severely rebuke him.
3. I saw your cousin Sam in Talapoosa.
4. Have you plenty of tomatoes to plant in your garden.
5. I never saw any one else leap so far as Phil can.

In the above may be found words with the following definitions:

1. A beast of burden.
2. To get up.
3. A girl's nickname.
4. To hinder.
5. Springs.

These words will form a square. AUN

4.—Enigma.

Composed of 48 letters.

My 44, 3, 37, 46, 10 is to turn about rapidly.

My 13, 21, 47, 12 is something soothing.

My 48, 46, 11, 32 is a sort of carriage.

My 18, 14, 6, 16, 35 is to evade.

My 36, 25, 31, 41, 26 is worn on the foot.

My 30, 8, 43, 29, 33 is a grain.

My 36, 20, 9, 5, 7, 2, 46 is a protection.

My 1, 17, 27, 42 is an adjective that always refers to more than one.

My 15, 45, 38, 6, 47, 43 is to handle affectionately.

My 19, 34, 46, 4, 22, 23, 10, 35 is to choke.

My 40, 39, 46, 18 is a place for crossing a river.

My 28, 24, 32, the farmers secure in summer.

My whole is from the New Testament. ETHYL.

5.—Transpositions.

Lalt sako mrof tellit corans wrgo,
Geral masters mfro lettil tanoufins fowl. LITTLE MAY.

Answers to Puzzles of Last Week.

1.—Fairies (fair eyes).

2.—
C A S H
A L T O
S T O P
H O P E

3.—Life is an unsolved enigma.

4.—
s t u B b l e
s h I n e
a S k
C
c U t
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5.—Lark, ark.

6.—Ginger.

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Mrs. Crow's Concert.

(Concluded.)

On swift wings the birds went flying,
E'en like a summer cloud
Blown before soft breezes sighing—
They were a pretty crowd.

Miss Robin Redbreast flew along,
Looking downward all the way,
E'en the sunshine and the roses
Could not make her spirits gay.

For she mused while she was flying,
Is it right for us to go,
When we know she is no singer?—
Poor vain, foolish Mrs. Crow!

But the Bobolink beside her
Ready was to have some fun,
And the cruel Hawk was aching
Just to have the sport begun.

And the merry Thrush said softly,
"When she comes to do her best,
Maybe that she will surprise us,
I will go with all the rest."

And the Nightingale that singeth
Only in the woods at even—
Whose soft voice within the twilight
Through the starry dusk is driven,

Held a tender thought of pity,
For the Crow, within her heart,
And she said, "Can any help her,
I will surely do my part."

There the Oriole and Canary,
And the brown Thrush swept along,
And the happy Lark, that rising,
Paved the morning skies with song—

And the blinking Owl, his eyelids
Drooping to shut out the light;
And the Eagle, proud and haughty,
Flew with swift, impatient flight.

And the Mocking Bird, that singer
Whose whole breast is full of song—
Not a bird within the forest
But went with Mr. Crow along.

O, what lovely spot for concert,
Right behind, the hillsides climb,
Sun-crowned, tree-wreathed, sprinkled over
Too with wealth of eglantine.

And the brook ran liquid silver,
And the meadows shone with light,
Starred with daisies and with cowslips,
And lilies of the valley white.

Far away the forest wandered,
Far away the meadows spread,
Green with slender swaying grasses,
By the brook's clear waters fed.

And the sun rained golden brightness,
Flecking all the forest ground,
And the waters leaped and sparkled
On the pebbles white and round.

Mr. Crow flew on before them,
And they followed in his wake;
While slanting sunbeams on their wings
A line of glory make.

Cool and green and widely spreading,
With its leafy curtain fair,
Was the oak tree rising upward
Like some God-built temple there.

On its topmost limb sat waiting,
With a smile upon her face,
Mrs. Crow in blackest feathers,
With an air of studied grace.

Though the oak was big and branching,
Scarcely was there room for all;
There were hundreds, from the Eagle
To the pretty Linnet small.

But at length they all were ready
For the concert to begin,
And Mrs. Crow, her feathers smoothing,
Stood up there at last to sing.

Such a hush fell on the forest,
I think you could have heard
If e'en the smallest little leaf
Had for a moment stirred.

"Caw, caw," sang Mrs. Crow, then stopped
As if to clear her throat,
While pitying Robin Redbreast longed
To strike one little note.

But she was mute, and all the birds
Sat stirless in their place,
And e'en the Hawk drew down his chin,
And sat with solemn face.

Then Mrs. Crow began again—
'Twas like a cross-cut saw,
So harsh and so unmusical,
That endless "Caw, caw, caw."

She strove to touch some other note,
To sing the Robin's song,
To make such music as the Lark
Sings to the ear of Morn.

But only "Caw, caw," could she sing,
No other sound could utter,
Till the Hawk laughed, and all the birds,
Amused and scornful, flutter.

And the bright sunshine overhead
Laughed softly through the shade,
And even the very echoes fled
From th' discords that she made.

And Mr. Eagle, who I fear
Is an ill-mannered bird,
Just screamed with laughter, and Mrs. Crow
To dreadful passion stirred.

She flew down at him from her perch,
And sought to peck his face,
But Mr. Crow he seized her wing,
And led her to her place.

"And now keep still, you shameless thing,"
He said aside to her,
"And don't you dare attempt to sing
Or from this bough to stir."

And then he turned unto the birds;
"I am ashamed," said he,
"Of this attempt by Mrs. Crow
Of bird-like minstrelsy.

"Perhaps I was not right to let
My wife this trial make.
And if I am to blame, I will
Your ready censure take.

"But I have striven long with her,
When she in jealous mood
Has boasted she could sing more sweet
Than all the bird choir could.

"I strove to teach her such as we
Were never made for song,
But for some other use, but she
Declared that I was wrong.

"Good friends, excuse her and forget
What she has done to-day,
And give to us a concert sweet
Before you go away."

Then Mrs. Crow stood up again,
With meek and humble face,
Her air was penitent and sad,
As there she took her place.

And then she spoke with downcast eyes,
And with a humbled tone,
"I hope you will forget, dear birds,
This folly I have done.

"And then henceforth I'll be content
Without attempt to sing;
Content to fly above the woods,
Upon my strong, true wing.

"Content to caw, caw, to my mate,
And to my birdlings free,
While they shall fly the upper air
Through all its paths with me.

"And as a sign you pardon this—
My folly vain and weak,
I too ask you will sing for us
Before your homes you seek."

Then such a joyous twitter rang,
Through bending bough and leaf,
So glad, so softly musical
The Crow forgot her grief.

And such a flood of glorious song
Burst from the bird choir there
It seemed as if the leaves sang too,
And all the flowers fair.

The dancing echoes flew along
And sang it o'er again,
The gurgling waters of the brook
Rang out a sweet refrain.

Since then the Crow has always kept
Her place within the skies,
Filled with a glad content she goes
Caw, cawing as she flies.

I like to hear her as she sails
So far above my head,
So calm and fearless sweeps she on,
With her black wings outspread.

Caw, caw, o'er summer woods in June
And summer fields she flies,
And happy children watch her still
Caw, cawing through the skies.

ELIZA A. OTIS.

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Well now, the little folks did not all forget me, did they? Here are two letters already for the children's column. Let us see what they are:

DEAR E. A. O.: I like your crow story very much. I live in Los Angeles, and read the SUNDAY TIMES. I like it as much as a story book. I've got a parrot. She is very funny. She says when she steals sugar, "Set a thief to catch a thief!" Then we laugh, and she laughs, too. We have got a big black cat. She sometimes sits in the window. She is sitting in the window now. I don't think of anything more. CHARLIE.

Thank you, Charley. This is a very nice letter that you have written, and I hope that we shall hear from you again. I had a pussy once that was very cunning. She was a little gray kitten, and she used to lie in the sunshine rolled up like a little round ball. We had a rooster with whom she was a great pet. He used to go and lie beside her in the warm sunshine, and stand by her when she was eating her bread and milk, and would not allow the hens to come near to steal her food. And he would never take any himself until she was through. Then, if she left any, he was not slow to eat it, and when he was done they would walk off together as contented and happy as well could be.

And here is another letter from some of the dear little readers of the TIMES. We will all read it:

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 18.—Dear E. A. O.: I think it a fine plan to have the children write letters for the Boys and Girls column. I will try and write you a letter. Your crow story makes the life of the birds seem a good deal like the way we live. I have thought more about the crow than I ever did before. I used to see them in New England when I lived there, flying up ever so high in the blue sky—higher than the tops of the highest trees. I used to like to hear them caw, caw. I saw an eagle once. He was a big fellow and he had carried off a lamb. I read once about an eagle carrying off a little baby to his nest away up on the rocks of a high mountain—one of the Alps, and how the baby's mother climbed up and up till she reached the eagle's nest and got her baby. It was all safe, wrapped up in its blanket. I'm glad we don't have eagles in Los Angeles. GRACE.

You have done beautifully, Grace, and I shall be very glad to hear from you again. I am glad that you like the story of the crow. You will see that Mrs. Crow did not turn out so very badly in the end. She learned that she was not made to sing the sweet songs of the robin, and so was content in the sphere for which she was made. If we could all learn that lesson—that we each have a place of our own to fill, each have our work to do, and learning what that work is, do it cheerfully and well, we should be wiser and happier.

But our column is full, so good-bye little friends. E. A. O.

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

Causes of Consumption.—After a study of nearly 12,000 cases, Dr. Hermann Brehmer, an able German physician, rejects the theory of the contagiousness of pulmonary consumption. He finds the disease to be due to deficient nutrition of the lungs, which may result from various antecedent causes, such as inherited defects of constitution, and vital organs impaired by disease, injury, or mode of living. He believes that the operation of all these causes may produce such changes that it may be possible—years, even decades, in advance—to predict with great probability which members of a given family will be afflicted with pulmonary consumption, and which will remain healthy.

The generation of heat by friction has been applied in England to the production of a friction still, with which survivors of shipwrecks may obtain steam and fresh water from sea-water without the aid of fire.

Statistics are said to show that over ninety per cent. of mad dogs are retrievers, or animals so-called, and that mongrels are much more liable to hydrophobia than dogs of pure breed.

A comparative statement of the death-rate in England and Wales in the two decennial periods 1871–1880 and 1861–1870 has just been published, and shows a decrease of 1100 deaths a year in each million inhabitants. The deaths from diphtheria and fevers supposed to be due to unhealthy surroundings were greatly reduced in number.

Elephant Intelligence.—The author of "Two Years in the Jungle," Mr. Hornaday, defends the elephant from the charge that its sagacity is of a very mediocre description, and its reasoning faculties are far below those of the dog and possibly other animals. He declares it to be the most intelligent of all animals. "A horse," he remarks, "which will promptly back at the word of command, or a dog that will back or stand on its hind legs when told to do so, is considered quite accomplished; but in India any well-trained elephant, at a word or touch from his driver, who sits astride his neck, will hand up, kneel, speak (trumpet), salaam (salute with his trunk), stop, back, lie down, pull down an obstructing branch, gather fodder and hand up to his attendant, turn or lift a log, or drag it by taking its drag-rope between his teeth. He will also protect his attendants or attack a common enemy with fury. * * * Contrast with this the performances of our most intelligent breed of dogs, the pointer. Even when young and trained under the most favorable circumstances, they are at best but capable of being taught a few things, as to 'go on,' to 'charge,' to go in a given direction, and retrieve."

A race of hairless Americans is threatened. It has been estimated that already one-half the adult men of American birth living in our cities are bald, and baldness is extremely liable to be propagated in the male line, and to appear a little earlier in each successive generation.

It is computed that a twelve-inch wall of hard-burned bricks and good lime and sand mortar could be built 1600 feet high before the bottom layers would be crushed. If Portland cement were added to the mortar, the height might reach 2700 feet.

The germs which give rise to malarial fever have been found by two Italian physiologists.

Water-Absorbers of Plants.—The adaptations with which plants are provided for making the most of the water that comes to them in the form of rain or dew are thus classified by Lundstrom, who has made them a subject of special investigation: Depressions, in the form of leaf-cups or of grooves in the epidermis; hair formations, in tufts or borders; hygroscopic membranes, as spots or stripes on the epidermis; and anatomical adaptations, such as water-absorbing textures and swelling glands. None of these features are found in the submerged parts of plants.

Lunar Influence on the Compass.—In a communication to the Meteorological Society of Austria, M. G. Ligner has described the remarkable discovery that the moon has an influence on a magnetized needle. The phenomenon is said to be more prominent when the moon is nearest to the earth, and to be very marked when she is passing from the full to her first or second quarter. The disturbance reaches a maximum when the moon is in the plane of the equator, and is greater during the southern than the northern declination.

Layers of stone containing some of the supposed human foot-prints lately found near Lake Managua, in Nicaragua, have been sent to the Vienna Natural History Museum. The stone is a volcanic tufa, and the impressions are extremely sharp and distinct, and, if genuine foot-prints, prove the existence of man in Central America at a very remote period.

The Paris Horticultural Congress, to open in May, is to discuss, among other questions, the influence of the age of seeds on the quality and quantity of the plants they produce, and the possibility of cultivating other mushrooms than the common edible variety.

The tuberose is now cultivated extensively as a field plant in Natal, South Africa, and so favorable is the climate that flowers in open air may be had every month in the year.

Every Woman Should.

"I hear of a woman of fashion, says London Truth, "who has ordered a dress to be trimmed with canaries. It would be well if the crack-brained votaries of such detestable innovations were to be boycotted in society. If any woman tries the experiment of going to court ornamented with singing birds, I will venture to predict that she will be ignominiously turned back, as the Queen strongly objects to all such barbarities."

Forty Years Ago.

The sea gives up its dead sometimes in a peculiarly tragic way. Portions of a wreck have been washed ashore on the coast of Maine which have been identified as the remnants of a ship that went down with all on board over forty years ago.

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Mrs. Crow's Concert.
(Concluded.)

On swift wings the birds went flying,
Like a summer cloud
Blown before soft breezes sighing—
They were a pretty crowd.

Miss Robin Redbreast flew along,
Looking downward all the way,
For the sunshine and the roses
Could not make her spirits gay.

For she mused while she was flying,
Is it right for us to go,
When we know she is no singer?—
Poor vain, foolish Mrs. Crow!

But the Bobolink beside her
Only wanted to have some fun,
And the cruel Hawk was aching
Just to have the sport begun.

And the merry Thrush said softly,
"When she comes to do her best,
Hope that she will surprise us,
I will go with all the rest."

And the Nightingale that singeth
Only in the woods at even—
Whose soft voice within the twilight
Through the starry dusk is driven,

Had a tender thought of pity,
For the Crow, within her heart,
And she said, "Can any help her,
I will surely do my part."

There the Oriole and Canary,
And the brown Thrush swept along,
And the happy Lark, that rising,
Paved the morning skies with song—

And the blinking Owl, his eyelids
Drooping to shut out the light;
And the Eagle, proud and haughty,
Flew with swift, impatient flight.

And the Mocking Bird, that singer
Whose whole breast is full of song—
Not a bird within the forest
But went with Mr. Crow along.

O, what lovely spot for concert,
Right behind, the hillsides climb,
Sun-crowned, tree-wreathed, sprinkled over
Too with wealth of eglantine.

And the brook ran liquid silver,
And the meadows shone with light,
Starred with daisies and with cowslips,
And lilies of the valley white.

Far away the forest wandered,
Far away the meadows spread,
Green with slender swaying grasses,
By the brook's clear waters fed.

And the sun rained golden brightness,
Flecking all the forest ground,
And the waters leaped and sparkled
On the pebbles white and round.

Mr. Crow flew on before them,
And they followed in his wake;
While slanting sunbeams on their wings
A line of glory make.

Cool and green and widely spreading,
With its leafy curtain fair,
Was the oak tree rising upward
Like some God-built temple there.

On its topmost limb sat waiting,
With a smile upon her face,
Mrs. Crow in blackest feathers,
With an air of studied grace.

Though the oak was big and branching,
Scarcely was there room for all;
There were hundreds, from the Eagle
To the pretty Linnet small.

But at length they all were ready
For the concert to begin,
And Mrs. Crow, her feathers smoothing,
Stood up there at last to sing.

Such a hush fell on the forest,
I think you could have heard
If e'en the smallest little leaf
Had for a moment stirred.

"Caw, caw," sang Mrs. Crow, then stopped
As if to clear her throat,
While pitying Robin Redbreast longed
To strike one little note.

But she was mute, and all the birds
Sat stirless in their place,
And e'en the Hawk drew down his chin,
And sat with solemn face.

Then Mrs. Crow began again—
'Twas like a cross-cut saw,
So harsh and so unmusical,
That endless "Caw, caw, caw."

She strove to touch some other note,
To sing the Robin's song,
To make such music as the Lark
Sings to the ear of Morn.

But only "Caw, caw," could she sing,
No other sound could utter,
Till the Hawk laughed, and all the birds,
Amazed and scornful, flutter.

And the bright sunshine overhead
Laughed softly through the shade,
And e'en the very echoes fled
From th' discords that she made.

And Mr. Eagle, who I fear
Is an ill-mannered bird,
Just screamed with laughter, and Mrs. Crow
To dreadful passion stirred.

She flew down at him from her perch,
And sought to peck his face,
But Mr. Crow he seized her wing,
And led her to her place.

"And now keep still, you shameless thing,"
He said aside to her,
"And don't you dare attempt to sing
Or from this bough to stir."

And then he turned unto the birds;
"I am ashamed," said he,
"Of this attempt by Mrs. Crow
Of bird-like minstrelsy.

"Perhaps, I was not right to let
My wife this trial make,
And if I am to blame, I will
Your ready censure take.

"But I have striven long with her,
When she in jealous mood
Has boasted she could sing more sweet
Than all the bird choir could.

"I strove to teach her such as we
Were never made for song,
But for some other use, but she
Declared that I was wrong.

"Good friends, excuse her and forget
What she has done to-day,
And give to us a concert sweet
Before you go away."

Then Mrs. Crow stood up again,
With meek and humble face,
Her air was penitent and sad,
As there she took her place.

And then she spoke with downcast eyes,
And with a humbled tone,
"I hope you will forget, dear birds,
This folly I have done.

"And then henceforth I'll be content
Without attempt to sing;
Content to fly above the woods,
Upon my strong, true wing.

"Content to caw, caw, to my mate,
And to my birdlings free,
While they shall fly the upper air
Through all its paths with me.

"And as a sign you pardon this—
My folly vain and weak,
I've ask you will sing for us
Before your homes you seek."

Then such a joyous twitter rang,
Through bending bough and leaf,
So glad, so softly musical
The Crow forgot her grief.

And such a flood of glorious song
Rose from the bird choir there
Seemed as if the leaves sang too,
And all the flowers fair.

The dancing echoes flew along
And sung it o'er again,
The gurgling waters of the brook
Rang out a sweet refrain.

Since that the Crow has always kept
Her place within the skies,
Filled with a glad content she goes
Out, cawing as she flies.

I like to hear her as she sails
So far above my head,
So calm and fearless sweeps she on,
With her black wings outspread.

Caw, caw, o'er summer woods in June
And summer fields she flies,
And happy children watch her still
Out, cawing through the skies.

ELIZA A. OTIS.

Well now, the little folks did not all forget me, did they? Here are two letters already for the children's column. Let us see what they are:

DEAR E. A. O.: I like your crow story very much. I live in Los Angeles, and read the SUNDAY TIMES. I like it as much as a story book. I've got a parrot. She is very funny. She says when she steals sugar, "Set a thief to catch a thief!" Then we laugh, and she laughs, too. We have got a big black cat. She sometimes sits in the window. She is sitting in the window now. I don't think of anything more.

CHARLIE.

Thank you, Charley. This is a very nice letter that you have written, and I hope that we shall hear from you again. I had a pussy once that was very cunning. She was a little gray kitten, and she used to lie in the sunshine rolled up like a little round ball. We had a rooster with whom she was a great pet. He used to go and lie beside her in the warm sunshine, and stand by her when she was eating her bread and milk, and would not allow the hens to come near to steal her food. And he would never take any himself until she was through. Then, if she left any, he was not slow to eat it, and when he was done they would walk off together as contented and happy as well could be.

And here is another letter from some of the dear little readers of the TIMES. We will all read it:

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 16.—*Dear E. A. O.:* I think it a fine plan to have the children write letters for the Boys and Girls column. I will try and write you a letter. Your crow story makes the life of the birds seem a good deal like the way we live. I have thought more about the crow than I ever did before. I used to see them in New England when I lived there, flying up ever so high in the blue sky—higher than the tops of the highest trees. I used to like to hear them caw, caw. I saw an eagle once. He was a big fellow and he had carried off a lamb. I read once about an eagle carrying off a little baby to his nest away up on the rocks of a high mountain—one of the Alps, and how the baby's mother climbed up and up till she reached the eagle's nest and got her baby. It was all safe, wrapped up in its blanket. I'm glad we don't have eagles in Los Angeles.

GRACE.

You have done beautifully, Grace, and I shall be very glad to hear from you again. I am glad that you like the story of the crow. You will see that Mrs. Crow did not turn out so very badly in the end. She learned that she was not made to sing the sweet songs of the robin, and so was content in the sphere for which she was made. If we could all learn that lesson—that we each have a place of our own to fill, each have our work to do, and learning what that work is, do it cheerfully and well, we should be wiser and happier.

But our column is full, so good-bye little friends. E. A. O.

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

Causes of Consumption.—After a study of nearly 12,000 cases, Dr. Hermann Brehmer, an able German physician, rejects the theory of the contagiousness of pulmonary consumption. He finds the disease to be due to deficient nutrition of the lungs, which may result from various antecedent causes, such as inherited defects of constitution, and vital organs impaired by disease, injury, or mode of living. He believes that the operation of all these causes may produce such changes that it may be possible—years, even decades, in advance—to predict with great probability which members of a given family will be afflicted with pulmonary consumption, and which will remain healthy.

The generation of heat by friction has been applied in England to the production of a friction still, with which survivors of shipwrecks may obtain steam and fresh water from sea-water without the aid of fire.

Statistics are said to show that over ninety per cent. of mad dogs are retrievers, or animals so-called, and that mongrels are much more liable to hydrophobia than dogs of pure breed.

A comparative statement of the death-rate in England and Wales in the two decennial periods 1871–1880 and 1861–1870 has just been published, and shows a decrease of 1100 deaths a year in each million inhabitants. The deaths from diphtheria and fevers supposed to be due to unhealthy surroundings were greatly reduced in number.

Elephant Intelligence.—The author of "Two Years in the Jungle," Mr. Hornaday, defends the elephant from the charge that its sagacity is of a very mediocre description, and its reasoning faculties are far below those of the dog and possibly other animals. He declares it to be the most intelligent of all animals. "A horse," he remarks, "which will promptly back at the word of command, or a dog that will back or stand on its hind legs when told to do so, is considered quite accomplished; but in India any well-trained elephant, at a word or touch from his driver, who sits astride his neck, will hand up, kneel, speak (trumpet), salaam (salute with his trunk), stop, back, lie down, pull down an obstructing branch, gather fodder and hand up to his attendant, turn or lift a log, or drag it by taking its drag-rope between his teeth. He will also protect his attendants or attack a common enemy with fury. * * * Contrast with this the performances of our most intelligent breed of dogs, the pointer. Even when young and trained under the most favorable circumstances, they are at best but capable of being taught a few things, as to 'go on,' to 'charge,' to go in a given direction, and retrieve."

A race of hairless Americans is threatened. It has been estimated that already one-half the adult men of American birth living in our cities are bald, and baldness is extremely liable to be propagated in the male line, and to appear a little earlier in each successive generation.

It is computed that a twelve-inch wall of hard-burned bricks and good lime and sand mortar could be built 1600 feet high before the bottom layers would be crushed. If Portland cement were added to the mortar, the height might reach 2700 feet.

The germs which give rise to malarial fever have been found by two Italian physiologists.

Water-Absorbers of Plants.—The adaptations with which plants are provided for making the most of the water that comes to them in the form of rain or dew are thus classified by Lundstrom, who has made them a subject of special investigation: Depressions, in the form of leaf-cups or of grooves in the epidermis; hair formations, in tufts or borders; hydroscopic membranes, as spots or stripes on the epidermis; and anatomical adaptations, such as water-absorbing textures and swelling glands. None of these features are found in the submerged parts of plants.

Lunar Influence on the Compass.—In a communication to the Meteorological Society of Austria, M. G. Ligner has described the remarkable discovery that the moon has an influence on a magnetized needle. The phenomenon is said to be more prominent when the moon is nearest to the earth, and to be very marked when she is passing from the full to her first or second quarter. The disturbance reaches a maximum when the moon is in the plane of the equator, and is greater during the southern than the northern declination.

Layers of stone containing some of the supposed human foot-prints lately found near Lake Managua, in Nicaragua, have been sent to the Vienna Natural History Museum. The stone is a volcanic tufa, and the impressions are extremely sharp and distinct, and, if genuine foot-prints, prove the existence of man in Central America at a very remote period.

The Paris Horticultural Congress, to open in May, is to discuss, among other questions, the influence of the age of seeds on the quality and quantity of the plants they produce, and the possibility of cultivating other mushrooms than the common edible variety.

The tuberose is now cultivated extensively as a field plant in Natal, South Africa, and so favorable is the climate that flowers in open air may be had every month in the year.

Every Woman Should.

"I hear of a woman of fashion, says London Truth, "who has ordered a dress to be trimmed with canaries. It would be well if the crack-brained votaries of such detestable innovations were to be boycotted in society. If any woman tries the experiment of going to court ornamented with singing birds, I will venture to predict that she will be ignominiously turned back, as the Queen strongly objects to all such barbarities."

Forty Years Ago.

The sea gives up its dead sometimes in a peculiarly tragic way. Portions of a wreck have been washed ashore on the coast of Maine which have been identified as the remnants of a ship that went down with all on board over forty years ago.

HOUSE AND HOME.

Well-Lighted Houses and Plenty of Sunshine.

A PICTURE OF BEAUTY FROM THE KITCHEN

A Batch of Recipes—Home-Made Candy—Yeast and Bed Spreads—A Rug Craze.

I was out over the cable line one day last week, enjoying the beauty of the green hills, noting the improvements made, and going through some of the fine new houses recently erected in that part of the city. I noted one most desirable feature in many of these houses—they were well lighted. The sides of the rooms have broad and high windows, and at the ends are generous bay or octagon windows, affording a many-sided outlook towards mountain and sea, towards town and the green and beautiful hills. I am growing more and more in favor of many windows in a house—and such as give a generous outlook into the world beyond the walls of our homes. Sunlight in our homes is essential to health, and no less essential to cheerfulness, and these wide visions of the outer world which come to us through spacious windows, enter into our daily thoughts and dwell with us even in the midst of our every-day cares and duties. The matter-of-fact work of dishwashing may have a little poetry in it if your table or sink is near an open window through which you may glance, from time to time, as your hands are busy, at green fields and nodding flowers; at trees and hills, and the infinite blue sky. One with the least bit of imagination, even, is apt to work mechanically while the thoughts are busy with all that are suggested by the beauty before it. But if you want to grow dull, impatient, and carry all the time the consciousness of your burdens, shut yourselves up in dark rooms. I do not care how elegantly the rooms may be furnished, if you cannot look abroad out of them into God's great world, your thoughts will grow narrow, and your life will feed upon itself.

That old theory of many housekeepers and house-builders, that it doesn't matter much what the kitchen is, is all a mistake. When I build a house my kitchen shall be one of the best lighted rooms in it. It shall open, too, on pleasant grounds—on a green lawn, and the back sides of barns, chicken houses and woodsheds shall not be allowed to stare in at me through the kitchen door.

The housekeeper who does her own work, either through choice or necessity, necessarily is compelled to spend a good deal of time in her kitchen. Her life will naturally take some of its tone from it. It should not be a dark and dingy room, half way under ground, or fronting the cowshed or the barnyard. But it should open into a pleasant garden, with trees where the birds may come. I had a home once where that back door outlook was the pleasantest in the whole house. It was always like the voice of comfort to me, and its memory warms my heart today while its bird-music comes rippling up through the channels of memory. I could sing all day at my work then, and I wrote many a bit of verse in that sunny kitchen. What work I had to do in it I did not mind, for there was the beautiful lawn at my elbow, the grass just beyond my feet, and just the grandest bird choir in the world thronging the peach and apricot trees. Kitchen work was a new experience to me then, but I found so many charming accessories to it that I really began to enjoy it. That kitchen often made me think of Bunyan's Pilgrim Chamber of Peace.

Remembering the lady who wrote me not long since in regard to home-made candy, and thinking that she may have some little folks who are interested in candy-making, I will give her a new recipe that I came across today, which is said to be good:

"To two cups of granulated sugar, and one of boiling water, add one large tablespoonful of butter. Boil till it readily candies when dropped in cold water. Then remove from the fire, and stir in nearly two cups of Brazil nuts, cut up small, and one tablespoonful of lemon flavoring. Pour out upon three large buttered plates to cool. Always use a silver spoon in stirring candy."

In "The Housekeeper" I find the following rule for Perfection Yeast: Put one heaping teaspoon of meal in a teacup, add to this two tablespoonsful of new milk, a pinch of salt and one of soda; to this add boiling water until it is two-thirds full; stir well, cover and set in a warm place to rise (on the stove bracket is where mother puts hers). If set in the morning, it will be ready for use in the afternoon; but better set it in the afternoon, and next morning it is ready for use. It isn't injured in the least by setting it away and using it any time, only don't let it remain long enough to sour. When used, the sponge will be very light, and after it is moulded into loaves it rises with railroad speed. No disagreeable odor, as with salt rising.

Sarah Dundee, in the same journal, tells us how to make a dainty bed comforter: Cut a piece of double-width cheese cloth large enough to reach from the pillows to the foot of the bed. Put over this a layer or two of nice batting. Cover it with a piece of cloth like that underneath and catch it through and through in spots with blue zephyr worsted passed lightly without drawing tight, and cut these loops left by the thread on the right side. If preferred, a strand or two of yellow can be added to the blue worsted; the general appearance will be that of daisies scattered over it. Besides being cheap and very soft looking, it makes a very useful addition to a bed and can be easily ripped up at any time and made over. The edges can be caught together by overcasting with worsted or binding with narrow ribbon.

A good many people have the rug craze, and really a supply of rugs is most desirable in the house. Another correspondent of the "Housekeeper," Jannet by name, makes these suggestions:

"I must tell you about our crazy patchwork rug. We used a coffee-sack for the foundation; the patches of black, brown, blue and grey cloth are sewn down lightly with black thread without being turned under, as for silk patchwork. The outlining and fancy stitches are done with bright colored knitting cotton, using a coarse needle and taking long stitches. On the larger pieces we appliqued some figures of animals."

Among the conceptions of the English vegetarians is what they are pleased to call "brown bread steaks," which are thus prepared: "A large slice of bread fried in very little butter; when turned, pour on the bread two beaten eggs, fry onion at the same time in a pan, to be used with steak if liked."

The shoulder piece of beef can be made into a tender and delicious dish by letting it cook in its own juice in the oven without a particle of water. A stone jar, with a tight-fitting cover (or a lid of plain dough), will keep in all the flavor and juices, and the tough fibres and gristle are softened by the mild heat. It must be put in three or four hours before dinner time. The heat that comes through the stone is very different from that of hot iron, and it is the slow action of the steady heat that makes a rich dish out of a cheap joint. I have often bought these pieces and found them tender and as delicious as the more expensive portions of beef. It is the cooking which determines whether the part shall be good or otherwise.

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Zenas Cobb, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Zenas Cobb, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of his attorney, Edwin Baxter, room 80½, Temple Block, in the city of Los Angeles, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the county of Los Angeles, State of California.
Dated at Los Angeles, Feb. 16, 1886.
CHARLES E. CLACIUS,
Administrator of the estate of Zenas Cobb, deceased. fe20 4w

PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE BOARD OF Supervisors of Los Angeles County, Cal.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office until 10 a. m., March 2, 1886, for building a Bridge at the Old Mission, San Gabriel, as per plans and specifications on file in this office. Bids to specify price per lineal foot for the span of 80 feet, and also for the two approaches of 32 feet each. Bridge to be completed within thirty (30) days from date of contract.
A certified check of $200 must accompany each bid.
The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
By order of the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County, Cal.
C. H. DUNSMOOR, Clerk. fe20 3t

Receiver's Notice of Sale.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County, Los Angeles.

Frank A. Gibson, Executor of the last will of James H. Goodhue, Plaintiff, vs. C. L. Fisher et al., Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of February, A. D. 1886, at the hour of 10 a. m., in pursuance of an order to me directed, dated the 6th day of February, A. D. 1886, issued out of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, California, I will sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in United States gold coin, at the store formerly kept by C. L. Fisher & Co. (called Fisher & Fitzhenry), on Fair Oaks avenue, in Pasadena, Cal.—
That certain stock of goods, wares and merchandise situated in said store, consisting of a stock of boots, shoes, slippers, rubber goods, etc., and being the same stock of goods formerly comprising the stock in trade of C. L. Fisher & Co. (called Fisher & Fitzhenry), together with store fixtures in said store.
An inventory of said stock can be seen at any time before said sale, at the office of Silent, Wade & Fitzgerald, attorneys-at-law, Temple Block, Los Angeles.
Los Angeles, February 18, 1886.
RALPH E. MARX,
Receiver in the above entitled case. fel8td

Receiver's Notice of Sale.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County, Los Angeles.

Frank A. Gibson, Executor of the last will of James H. Goodhue, Plaintiff, vs. C. L. Fisher et al., Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, ON Tuesday, the 23d day of February, A. D. 1886, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., in pursuance of an order to me directed, dated the 6th day of February, A. D. 1886, issued out of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, California, I will sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in United States gold coin, at the store formerly kept by C. L. Fisher & Co., No. 54 North Spring street, in Los Angeles, Cal.—
That certain stock of goods, wares and merchandise situated in said store, consisting of a stock of boots, shoes, slippers, rubber goods, etc., and being the same stock of goods formerly comprising the stock in trade of C. L. Fisher & Co., together with the safe and store fixtures in said store, and one small delivery wagon and one set of double harness.
An inventory of said stock can be seen at any time before said sale, at the office of Silent, Wade & Fitzgerald, attorneys-at-law, Temple Block.
Said stock can be inspected on Saturday, the 20th day of February, A. D. 1886, at said store, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m.
Los Angeles, February 17, 1886.
RALPH E. MARX,
Receiver in the above entitled case. fel7 td

Notice of Foreclosure Sale.

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale.

P. W. Dooner, vs. James D. Campbell. } Sheriff's Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1886, in the above entitled action, wherein P. W. Dooner, the above-named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against James D. Campbell, defendant, on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1886, for the sum of $362.30, in United States gold coin, which said decree was, on the 20th day of January, A. D. 1886, recorded in judgment book of said court, at page 267, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:
That certain lot of land situate in Los Angeles city, in Los Angeles county, California, known and described as lot No. 15, in block 1 of the Beaudry tract, situate on the easterly side of Olive street, and having a width of 60 feet by a depth of 160 feet, bounded toward Second street by the lot of Tuttle, and toward Third street by the lot of Steer.
Public notice is hereby given that on
Saturday, the 20th day of February, A. D., 1886.
At 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the Courthouse door of the County of Los Angeles, on Spring st., I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for cash gold coin of the United States.
Dated this 30th day of January, 1886.
GEO. E. GARD,
Sheriff of Los Angeles County.
By A. M. THORNTON, Under Sheriff. ja30td

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF CARL SEIDEL, DEceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Carl Seidel, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor, at his offices, Nos. 3 and 5 N. Main st., Los Angeles city, Cal., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the county of Los Angeles.
Dated at Los Angeles city, county of Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 10, 1886.
L. LICHTENBERGER,
Executor of the last will and testament of Carl Seidel, deceased. fel1 4w

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF DANIEL PRUIETT, ALIAS Daniel Pewet, deceased.—Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Daniel Pruiett, alias Daniel Pewet, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Wells, Van Dyke & Lee, rooms 11 to 18, Baker block, Los Angeles, Cal., that being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the said county of Los Angeles.
Dated at Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 26, 1886.
JAMES A. FISHER,
Administrator of the estate of Daniel Pruiett, alias Daniel Pewet, deceased. ja27 4w

PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF BOARD OF SUPERvisors of Los Angeles County, Cal.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office

Until 10 a. m., Feb. 18, 1886,
FOR THE ERECTION OF A
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Exclusive of cell work, in accordance with plans and specifications on file at the office of John Hall, architect, at No. 7¼ N. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.
Said building to be completed within four (4) months from date of contract. A certified check of $2000, payable to the Clerk of this Board, to accompany each.
The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
By order of the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County, Cal.
C. H. DUNSMOOR, Clerk.
The time for receiving bids as above continued until 10 a. m., March 1, 1886.
By order of the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County, Cal.
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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Ira Carpenter, Plaintiff, vs. Mary R. Carpenter, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and the complaint filed in said County of Los Angeles, in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALifornia send greeting to Mary R. Carpenter, defendant.
You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff, in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service), after the service on you of this summons, if served within this county; or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days, or judgment by default will be taken against you, according to the prayer of said complaint.
The said action is brought to obtain the judgment of this court dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem meet. Reference is had to complaint for particulars.
And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, the said plaintiff will cause your default to be entered, and will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.
{SEAL} Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles, this 28th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.
CHAS. H. DUNSMOOR, Clerk.
By F. B. FANNING, Deputy.
Mansfield & Edgerton, Attorneys for plaintiff. ja30 1aw2m Su

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Horace Bowen, Plaintiff, vs. Mary A. Bowen, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and the Complaint filed in said County of Los Angeles, in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIfornia send greeting to Mary Augusta Bowen, Defendant:
You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff, in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within this county; or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days, or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint.
The said action is brought to obtain the judgment of this court dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem meet. Reference is had to complaint for particulars.
And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, the said plaintiff will cause your default to be entered, and will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.
Given under my hand and the seal of the {SEAL} Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, this 28th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.
CHAS. H. DUNSMOOR, Clerk.
By F. B. FANNING, Deputy.
Mansfield & Edgerton, Attorneys for Plaintiff. ja30 1aw2m Su

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Of Los Angeles County, California.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office until 10 a. m. Monday, March 1, 1886, for the

Construction of Jail Cells,

in accordance with plans and specifications on file at the office of John Hall, architect, at No. 7¾ North Main street, Los Angeles City, a certified check of $1000 to accompany each bid.
In addition to the foregoing, any contractor may also introduce and bid on his own special system of cell work, together with qualities of materials and workmanship, upon the same terms and conditions as above. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
By order of the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County, California.
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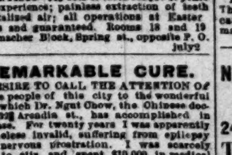

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3:22	7:21	...San Gabriel...		8:50	11:58
3:09	8:10	......Spadra......		8:05	11:56
3:18	8:20	......Pomona......		7:53	10:56
4:15	9:15 a	......Colton......		6:55 p	10:00 a
		Ar.	Lv.		
Daily.	Except Sund'y	Lv.	Ar.	Except Sund'y	Daily.
7:30 p	9:30 a	......Colton......		6:05 p	8:35 a
7:43	9:48	......Riverside......		5:57	8:20
12:40 a	1:43 p	......Fallbrook......		1:20	3:30
2:08	3:22	......Oceanside......		12:01 p	2:15 a
5:45	6:20	......San Diego......		9:22	10:45
6:05 a	6:50 p	...National City...		8:35 a	10:00 p
		Ar.	Lv.		
	Daily.	Lv.	Ar.	Daily.	
......	9:30 a	......Colton......		6:26 p	
......	9:40	...San Bernard'no...		6:05	
......	12:10	......Victor......		4:13	
......	1:30 p	......Waterman......		2:55 p	
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Time Schedule.

SUNDAY Jan. 17th, 1886.

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LOS ANGELES
AS FOLLOWS:

LEAVE FOR	DESTINATION.	ARRIVE FROM
2:30 p.m.	......Colton......	12:20p.m
4:30 p.m.	......Colton......	9:10a.m
1:00 p.m.	Deming and East } Express	12:20p.m
2:00 p.m.	Deming and East } Emigrant	12:20p.m
2:00 p.m.	...El Paso and East...	12:20p.m
12:30 p.m.	San Francisco or Sacramento } Express	1:30p.m
12:50 p.m.	San Francisco or Sacramento } Emgr'nt	1:30p.m
*9:20 a.m.	Santa Ana and Anaheim	*1:30p.m
3:15 p.m.	.Santa Ana and Anaheim.	8.30a.m
9:30 a.m.	......Santa Monica......	8:10a.m
*4:30 p.m.	......Santa Monica......	*4:20p.m
15:20 p.m.	......Santa Monica......	14:20p.m
10:00 a.m.	......Wilmington......	3:20p.m
10:00 a.m.	......Wilmington......	9:00a.m
10:00 a.m.	......San Pedro......	2:20p.m
4:00 p.m.	......San Pedro......	9:00a.m

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Santa Rosa..	Jan.	30	Feb.	1	Feb.	2	Feb.	5
Los Angeles..	Feb.	2	"	4	"	5	"	8
Orizaba..	"	3	"	7	"	8	"	11
Eureka..	"	7	"	9	"	10	"	12
Santa Rosa..	"	8	"	10	"	11	"	14
Los Angeles..	"	10	"	14	"	15	"	17
Orizaba..	"	12	"	16	"	16	"	18
Eureka..	"	15	"	17	"	18	"	21
Santa Rosa..	"	17	"	19	"	20	"	22
Los Angeles..	"	19	"	22	"	22	"	25
Orizaba..	"	23	"	25	"	26	"	28
Eureka..	"	26	"	27	Mch.	1	Mch.	3
Santa Rosa..	"	28	Mch.	2	"	3	"	5

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To San Buenaventura	5 00	4 00
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4:20 pm	Pasadena & Lamanda Park	4.57 pm
†5:20 pm	Pasadena & Lamanda Park	9:12 am
* 8:30 pm	Pasadena & Lamanda Park	4:43 pm

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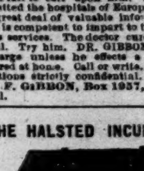

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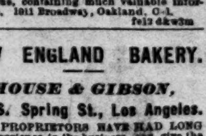

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Deany under promise of marriage. According to Conover's statement two of his daughters have been ruined by Patrick Deany and his brother Thomas.

meanwhile from loss of blood. At 1 o'clock this morning the injured man was able, with some assistance, to walk home. Drum slept in the calaboose.

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An Epidemic of Bribery.

Recently, in the city of New York, a gentleman who has heretofore occupied a very high position in society, a soldier of honorable fame, a man whose reputation as a citizen was regarded as unblemished—General Shaler—was placed on trial under a criminal indictment, charged with having accepted a bribe in connection with a transaction growing out of official duty. His trial came to naught only because one stubborn juror stood out against conviction. In the same city several of the aldermen stand charged with having received money in consideration of valuable privileges extended to Jake Sharp's Broadway Surface Railway Company. In Detroit the action of certain aldermen is to be made the subject of an investigation by the Grand Jury. In Ohio a distinguished Senator is charged with having procured his seat by improper influence.

In Illinois, and particularly in the city of Chicago (says the Inter Ocean), the subject is not new, and if it were a fit one to boast of, our contemporary thinks Chicago might present as fair a showing as any other section or locality. The laws defining bribery, as well as the extent of the punishment meted out, differ somewhat in the different States, but it is about as difficult to reach the offender under one statute as another. But there is little doubt that the evil they are intended to reach is greatly on the increase.

Both the giver and the receiver of a bribe, it is to be presumed, are pledged to the strictest secrecy, and any revelation of their plans would be as dangerous in its results to one party as to the other. The knowledge of this aids in maintaining secrecy.

But aside from this, the devious means adopted in carrying out such nefarious transactions usually baffles the most skillful expert in his efforts to discover any palpable proof of wrongdoing. Irregularities of this kind are not confined to any particular State, locality or department, nor is any uniform system adopted to accomplish such unlawful ends. The offender can readily adjust his tactics to the occasion. In New York it is alleged the scheme was to employ a third party, yclept "Johnny," a saloon-keeper, to badger the aldermen and make bets with them. For example, he wagered the aldermen $20,000 against a new hat that they did not dare vote for the measure. Of course Johnny lost the bet and the measure passed. The matter is now being investigated by a State Senate Committee. There is danger that the press, in its reluctance to deal with the subject—a reluctance springing from a proper desire to be sure of its ground before openly preferring grave charges—and in the timidity it often displays in treating of bribery at all, may unconsciously err, and in this way not only fail in the discharge of a duty it owes to the public, but unwittingly encourage such unlawful schemes.

The rule of action or of human conduct which is laid down by the lawmaker needs to be faithfully followed by him who originates it. Integrity and independence are the cardinal virtues that should mark his course of conduct, not being led by social influence, blinded by prejudice, or having his sensibilities blunted by a desire to pander to public opinion.

In our day evidences of such dishonor have as yet proved comparatively few. Human nature, however, has not materially changed in its character in different ages, and this knowledge shakes our confidence. The existence of such abuses in the past may reasonably lead us to inquire to what extent such corrupt practices have increased, in order to guard against and prevent, if possible, a condition of things so pregnant with injustice and dishonor.

Too Dilatory.

The people in the Boyle Heights section of the east side have good reason to grumble at the dalliance of the City Council in placing the Aliso avenue and First street bridges in a passable condition. While the Downey avenue bridge was reinstated within a week after the flood, the lower bridges referred to have remained untouched until within the past week, and will not be serviceable for perhaps a week to come. The Council seems to have halted between two opinions, having a mind at first to place another hundred-foot span on each bridge at the west end, and again to construct embankment approaches as before. The latter seems to be the prevalent opinion now. It seems that while the city authorities are hesitating about the width of the river, and the concurrent dilemma of the length of the bridges spanning it, the problem is likely to be worked out in a practical way by the railroad companies. The San Gabriel Valley people are extending a line of piles along the west bank, from their railroad bridge to the Downey-avenue bridge. With this line completed and planked and backed by the embankment, it is to be hoped an effectual resistance will be offered to the encroachments of the flood. If the Company then continues its bulkhead and embankment along the river front, in accordance with its franchise, the problem will be solved as it goes. The official margin of the river, the line allotted to the railroad company, will then be the correct bank. To suit this bank the bridges on Aliso avenue and First street should be reconstructed. That will end the whole difficulty, and the Boyle Heights people will no longer be obliged to exemplify the old saw that "the longest way round is the surest way home."

Prohibitory Legislation in Iowa.

There is an old saying that experience is the best guide. The Prohibitionists are, many of them, well-meaning people, and honestly believe that the only remedy for the evils of the liquor traffic is absolute prohibition. They denounce high license and all other palliative measures as delusions and snares. The State of Iowa has now for a considerable period had a strong prohibitory law. In order that there could be no possibility of a breakdown in the judicial machinery, prohibition was engrafted into the State constitution, and everything that could be done was done to make the law perfect. Prior to the adoption of the prohibitory ordinance, Iowa, like most of the States, had a license law. From liquor licenses, or rather from a direct tax on the liquor traffic, a considerable revenue was derived. When prohibition became the law this tax was done away with, and the State now assumes that there is no such thing as liquor selling within its limits. In order to ascertain for his own satisfaction what had been the effect of prohibitory legislation, a leading Prohibitionist recently made a canvass of a number of the principal cities, and, as a result, was much disappointed. His investigation showed that, in many cases, the number of saloons have trebled within the past two years, while the State has lost the benefit of the tax and the non-liquor-selling taxpayers have to bear the burden of expense of the increased crime and pauperism. The following are his figures, the first column showing the number of saloons in the principal cities before prohibitory legislation went into force; the second, the revenue derived from the tax under the license system; and the third, the number of saloons at present open and doing business:

Des Moines	60	$60,000	200
Dubuque	145	14,500	250
Davenport	135	20,000	196
Burlington	68	27,500	100
Council Bluffs	65	25,000	64
Sioux City	40	4,700	75
Cedar Rapids	35	11,400	100
Keokuk	20	14,500	47
Clinton	38	12,185	78
Ottumwa	22	22,000	43
Muscatine	32	None	25
Marshalltown	28	7,000	23
Creston	5	....	9
Waterloo	20	....	15
Iowa City	40	4,000	20
Fort Madison	17	4,000	22
Fort Dodge	6	....	10
Lyon	11	....	13
Oskaloosa	10	4,000	15
Boone	8	4,000	..
Totals	774		1,294

The investigator thinks that in many of the rural districts the prohibitory law has been of considerable benefit, but admits that the good results in the country do not over-balance the increased liquor selling in the cities. He is forced to conclude that prohibition in Iowa is a failure, and says that he can suggest no improvement to make the present law more effective. The whole matter lies with public sentiment, and in the large cities it is impossible to get the law enforced.

The above discouraging report is strongly in conformity with the statement made a few weeks ago in the TIMES regarding the success of the high license experiments in Illinois and other States. High license has proved to be the only restrictive measure at present practicable, and its opponents have evidently not given the other side sufficient consideration.

"Country Girls."

The unblushing effrontery of the English attorney in the Dilke case, who so boldly asserted that the criminal conduct of which his client was guilty was but "indiscretions of which no man was free," has been equaled here in Los Angeles by one of the counsel of E. J. Baldwin in his arraignment of California girls, and the large and respectable class of young women who are seeking to win an honest and independent livelihood as saleswomen in this city. The statement which that lawyer hurled at the jury, that "it is a peculiarity of the country girls here that they lose their virginity and never think anything of it," is an insult to the daughters of every home in this city, as well as to the thousands of homes throughout the country. The allegation is so shocking and sweeping as to take from it all semblance of truth or probability. Col. Howard overdid the business entirely. He could not possibly have measured his words deliberately or meant what he said to be seriously taken as an expression of his matured conviction on the subject. We do him the justice to say this much. Certainly he must have a better opinion of his countrymen and countrywomen than he is credited with. If not, he is deserving of the severest condemnation.

Many indignant correspondents have written to the TIMES denouncing the statement and sentiment of Col. Howard, so derogatory to the honor and fame of our girls. We publish a number of these letters, and indorse the sentiments expressed. The daughters of American homes will never lack defenders.

Let's Have It All.

The TIMES published in its local columns yesterday a full report of the investigation by the Supervisors of the Hall jail-plans affair. While the developments are startling, we consider them by no means complete. We suspect that others, not now accused, are implicated. With witnesses testifying solely on their own volition, even though under oath, it can hardly be expected that they will make so clean a breast of matters as in a regular judicial investigation. Enough has been shown, however, to make it imperative that the matter be probed to the bottom. With the disclosures but half made, as they manifestly are, we do not feel warranted in assuming the guilt or innocence of any of the parties implicated, but, in a spirit of justice to guilty and innocent alike, we demand that the fullest possible light be shed on the matter. "Let justice be done though the heavens fall." If need be, let a grand jury be summoned, to institute a deep and searching investigation.

THE appreciation which some people have of fine works of art was shown the other day in a manner not to be mistaken. Two elegantly-attired ladies stopped before a window on Spring street where was displayed a fine painting, a picture so complete and true in all its details that Nature herself would scarcely hesitate to acknowledge it as her own. These ladies, with other passers-by, stood looking at it, and one of them at length remarked, "It's a lovely frame, isn't it?"

BROADBRIM.

The Sacredness of New York's Sunday Concerts.

HARRY HILL'S ENDURANCE OVERTAXED.

And the Sensation He is Making in the Police Force—Hints of Official Corruption.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, February 14, 1886.—"It was a slashing mill and lasted two hours and fifty minutes, being one of the gamest fights on record." This is the announcement, with leaded headlines, that one of the most influential New York dailies gives of one of the most disgraceful fights that has taken place in the city. Seventy-five men witnessed the battle, and fifty of them paid twenty-five dollars a ticket, and sat up all night in a miserable rookery in the slums. Most of the so-called gentlemen had handsome homes of their own with every luxury that a reasonable person could wish, or were quartered at our nobbiest hotels. Yet they were willing to forego the comfort and respectability of their own homes, pay twenty-five dollars for a ticket, and run a sharp chance of a year in the penitentiary, and all for the pleasure of seeing two brutes pound each other to a mummy. In the particular battle spoken of, one of the brutes got his jaw and his nose broken, which disfigures him frightfully for life, and received as a compensation for his hurts two hundred and fifty dollars; and his brutal backers or seconds robbed him of two-thirds of that. I was in hopes, after Sullivan's disgraceful fiasco, a year and a half ago, that men were done with prize fighting in New York; instead of which, there never was a time in our history, not even when the thugs ruled the city forty years ago, when prize fighting and its concomitant brutalities oppressed us so much as now. Only two Sabbaths ago, while the church bells were ringing, in a barn not three hundred yards from Dr. Talmage's Tabernacle a battle was being fought—which was only decided just before the congregation sang the doxology. And right here I am reminded of a conversation which I heard in a street-car. Two gentlemen were conversing about the very large sum of money which a prominent politician laid out in a late escapade, and which brought him to the verge of bankruptcy, so that he could not pay his tailor. "Yes," said one of the gentlemen, "our vices are cash, but our virtues have to go on credit;" and so even our police sustained, at an expense of three or four millions of dollars annually, prey upon the haunts of vice, and levy blackmail upon criminals as the price of their countenance and protection.

The keeper of a low den, not a hundred yards from the police headquarters, and on the same block with the Excise Commission, is refused a license. Prize-fighters, cracksmen, pickpockets and harlots have resorted to his den for years. The man has made a fortune out of the criminal classes; he has kept himself and his place constantly before the public for years, through the columns of the Police Gazette, or some of the sensational Sunday papers, and only this week he gets a respectable coat of whitewash from a leading metropolitan journal, whose circulation is said to be over 200,000. He was a legitimate subject for blackmail, and is a splendid illustration of that homely adage of Burns's, that "The best laid schemes o' mice an' men gang aft-a-gley." Mr. Harry Hill thought he had a friend on the police on whom he could rely, in the time of trouble, so he had him transferred to his district. But Mr. Hill soon found out that there is no friendship in business and that his new friend was ten times worse than his old enemy. The precinct shelters a larger criminal class than any other in New York, and if they all paid at the same liberal rate for their police protection that Mr. Hill did, it is not at all astonishing that police captains grow rich, and that the position of an ordinary ward detective sometimes is worth a prince's ransom. Harry Hill stood bleeding like a little man, while the checks ranged from fifty to a hundred dollars. He had taken his punishment in the P. R. and never squealed; in fact, he rather liked it; but when they struck him for $500 at a clip, flesh and blood could stand it no longer; and now our police department is turned upside down at the shameful revelation of official dishonesty and villainy. It comes most opportunely just after the trial of General Shaler for bribery, who for the present appears to have escaped the terrible consequences of his offense by the pig-headed obstinacy of a single juror.

Some months ago I recorded the case of a wealthy German who ran away with the wife of his nephew. This nephew eventually sued his uncle, and recovered $5000 damages for the alienation of his wife's affections. Divorce proceedings were begun at once, and then the uncle married his niece. Against this disgraceful act the whole family rose in rebellion. He had six children by his first wife, the oldest thirty-three and youngest nineteen, and they were all in court this week against their amorous old father. Some years ago he gave his daughter a mortgage on a house which he possessed, with the understanding that it was not to be recorded, but after his row with his family he disinherited all his children, and settled his property on his niece-wife. Then the daughter recorded the mortgage, and the father tried to have it set aside, but the court decided that the daughter's title was good, and now the late husband of the niece sues his uncle for $100,000 in addition to the $5000 which he has in bank. By what peculiar hypothesis a creature who would run away from a good home and an affectionate husband with her uncle, can be worth $100,000, is more than I can fathom. I think he got a heavy price for such a baggage when he recovered $5000 for. Such wives would be dear at a dollar a ship load; and if I was on the jury I would not give him a cent more, though I should like to squeeze old Blohm, the frisky old uncle.

It looks now as though we might get at the bottom of the great Broadway steal. We want to find out who got the million and a half of dollars that so mysteriously disappeared from the treasury of the Broadway railroad. Even the gentleman that signed the bonds did not know what became of them, nor had he the curiosity to inquire. He remembered distinctly that he signed fifteen hundred of them, but it never occurred to him that some care ought to be taken of them, though they represented a million and a half of dollars in solid cash. It is said as high as $60,000 was paid for a single vote (who would not be a New York Alderman?), and the lowest was $25,000. Whether such enormous sums were disbursed or not, the disgraceful manner in which the scheme was put through leaves it open to the gravest suspicion, and covers with infamy every person connected with the steal

We are very much exercised just now on the subject of Sunday concerts. There is a wide difference of opinion as to what constitutes a Sacred Concert on the different sides of the river. Brooklyn takes high moral grounds; New York gives quite a liberal interpretation. In New York a dance with wooden clogs, scientific boxing, hand springs, rings and horizontal bar, comic songs about getting tight and being scooped on the Bowery these constitute the gist of a Sacred Concert in New York. Harry Hill's Sunday night Sacred Concerts have been the main attraction of Bleecker street for years. There is a beautiful distinction drawn between the drinks that can be swallowed at a sacred or profane concert. A sacred concert means Weiss beer and pretzels. A profane concert — whisky, Schweitzer kase and bologny. The songs and dances are identical in both; the difference is in the refreshment.

Brooklyn, as I remarked, takes higher moral grounds, and while in the past sacred concerts have been given there by prestidigitateurs and acrobats, and every first-class temperance meeting is enlivened on Sabbath evenings with tamborine and bones, they now insist on a stricter interpretation of Sabbath melodies. "The Mulligan Guards Parade," "The Charming Widow Brown" and "The Nigger wid the Whitewash Brush" being quite as acceptable as "Hold the Fort" or "The Golden Slippers." Two sacred concerts were got up a week ago, one in aid of the Parnell Fund and the other for the Grand Army of the Republic; but after all the arrangements had been made, and many tickets sold, the police swooped down on the places and the concerts had to be abandoned. There was a terrible commotion among the Parnellites, and some of the orators saw the claws of the British lion through the fog; and our brothers of the Grand Army smelled an insidious Southern influence with the police. The whole matter was eventually referred by the Mayor and Police Commissioners to the District Attorney, and he being a gentleman of liberal views, who has no particular fear of Sheol or Gehenna, and who keeps his weather eye open to the possibilities of a future election, certifies that Sunday concerts are quite a proper thing, and we are looking for the announcement of one of our most popular places of amusement that a sacred exhibition of roller skating will be given on Sunday night by the queen of the rink, Miss Chiney McClintock, to be followed by clubs and dumb-bells by Professor Johnson, horizontal bar by the Milliken Brothers, and the sacred concert will close with a waltz around and jig, and the wonderful performance of Signor Zolesta, the man-fly.

The announcement of Gen. Hancock's death took the city completely by surprise. It was not known by the general public that he was ill, and the news of his mortal danger reached us simultaneously with his death. His last public appearance in New York was on that memorable day when he escorted the remains of his Commander-in-Chief to their last resting-place at Riverside Park. In that magnificent procession there was no more imposing figure. He filled the eye as the most perfect type of all that was great and noble in chivalry. His death, following so close upon that of Grant and McClellan, narrows down the list, and in a few years at most the death-roll will be called for the last of our great commanders.

This week was placed on exhibition at the American Art Galleries, on Madison Square, the most marvelous collection of pictures and bric-a-brac ever presented in New York. Mrs. Mary Jane M[illegible]n received several millions from her husband's estate, and in three years she spent, or squandered two millions and a half of dollars. She was a perfect bonanza to picture dealers and speculators in bric-a-brac; hundreds and sometimes thousands were paid for old vases and other curios, which had been picked up in second-hand shops by speculative dealers. She gave her favorite clergyman a house, completely furnished, and $100,000, besides paying all the expenses of a continental tour for himself and family. She laid out over $150,000 on flowers, and made thousands of secret purchases of costly things for which she had no place or use. Her story reads like a fairy tale. Arriving at middle age a spinster and poor school teacher, she attracted the attention of a wealthy shipowner, who married her after the death of his first wife. The poverty through which she had passed was soon forgotten and her humble home was transported into the palace of Aladdin. What a lesson for human ambition! the creatures of her industry and wealth cover the walls and tables, and in a few days the pitiless hammer of the auctioneer will scatter them to the four winds of heaven.

Very truly yours, BROADBRIM.

MEN AND WOMEN.

Moody and Sankey opened their revival meeting in New Orleans Tuesday.

Ex-President Arthur is suggested by the Hour for President of Yale College.

August Neapolelyozionszizanka, a Pole, took out a marriage license at Wilkesbarre, Pa., the other day.

John Roach, the ship-builder, has resigned the presidency of the Chester Rolling Mills Company, and S. A. Crozer succeeds him.

Lawrence Barrett, who will manage Edwin Booth's business next season, has agreed to give his star $150,000 for an engagement of thirty weeks and to furnish everything.

General Simon Cameron is promised an election to an honorary membership in the Pennsylvania Typographical Union, No. 14. General Cameron worked at the case when a young man.

Mrs. Scott, the widow of the late Thomas A. Scott, has presented to the Washington and Lee University a three-quarter life-size portrait of the great railroad magnate. Mr. Scott gave the University $60,000 before his death. The painting is the work of London artist and cost $1000.

CURRENT NOTES.

Paper slippers are a novelty in the world of invention.

The report that Ellen Terry suffers from cancer in the throat is denounced as false.

Sarah Bernhardt leaves France April 15th for her American tour. She will reach San Francisco in the fall.

It is a curious fact that birds, even when inoculated with the poison of rabies, do not suffer from the disease.

The late Alexander Henderson, husband of Lydia Thompson, had in turn been manager of every theater in London.

A Chicago paper urges that a system of collecting and distributing mails by means of the street car lines be established in that city.

According to the latest official figures the number of workingwomen in England and Wales is 7,706,545. They are employed in 280 different branches of work.

In Japan wealthy owners of cats have a high respect for them even when they are dead. In Yeddo, at a recent cat's funeral, the coffin was covered with a white silk pall.

Pan-Electric Points.

Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.]

The President's purposes are good, and the people at large have been disposed to show him fair play—and rather more than that—good will. But we fear he is getting into deep trouble. The Pan-Electric difficulty is a most serious matter. He will have to grasp it firmly. The advertisement of Vilas for scandals about postmasters is another sorrow that is rising, and rushing like a roaring whirlpool.

The Pan-Electric performance is as bad and worse than the Credit Mobilier scandal. Mr. Cleveland should promptly reconstruct his Cabinet.

Clouds and Stars.

That little cloud I'm sure has gone astray,
It is so very fair. Gold-tinged it lies
Along the amber glory of the west—
That hidden door unto the farther skies—
Where lingers lovingly the passing day,
And piles up clouds of crimson for her crest.

The night wind steals through portals all unseen
Ere says the day Good Night unto the Earth—
In what deep caves of air doth it find birth?—
And lo! the starlight falleth down between
The sunset and the night. One star, as soft
As love's tears, with beams as liquid pure,
Shines on the threshold of departing day,
Like the pure opal of some crowned queen,
And watching it I see it twinkle oft.

O day, it lights for thee thy untrod way
To that vast somewhere hidden from our sight,
'Mid the dim isles, girt round by soundless seas,
Where nothing lives but human memories,
And God's own presence, unto whom as one
Are days that were, and are, and days that are to come.

ELIZA A. OTIS.

The Queen of the Angels.

What a fair day brings forth
When the skies in the north
Are clear, and blue, and bright;
And the balmy breezes waft from the south
Health to the ailing, peace and delight,
'Tis more than I can by word of mouth
Or by pen or pencil convey.
But come to the Queen of the Angels one day,
And breathe the air that we breathe,
And never, no, never, will you leave it again
Or care to return to your western plain—
For here is the Eden you seek.

C. F.

WASHINGTON.

Interesting Gossip About the President.

CHANGE OF VIEWS ANENT THE MUGWUMP

Disaffected but Obsequious Congressmen—Cleveland's Divided Party—Spoilsmen Unsatisfied—Speculating.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13, 1886.—There are certain indications which point to a break-up between the Administration and the sentiment which is usually termed as "Mugwump." According to trustworthy information, Mr. Cleveland is deeply and heartily disgusted at the attitude of certain ex-Republicans, and he will in the future give them a very frigid shoulder. This will not indicate, however, in the slightest degree that the President has abandoned his position upon the question of reform in the civil service. He will continue to insist upon the theory of competitive examinations, and will do all in his power to see that the present law on the statute books is not only faithfully carried out, but executed to the letter. The element in the Democratic party which is arrayed against the Administration on account of its position in reference to the question of reform in the civil service will not gain anything in the President's new position. Your correspondent, in a prolonged interview with a Democrat who has the best and most accurate means of ascertaining Mr. Cleveland's feelings upon this question, found that the President has, upon more than one occasion expressed his deep regret at the action taken by certain "Mugwump" newspapers and individuals. If he could, Mr. Cleveland would like to be at the head of "a non-partisan partisan" government. In other words, he would like to fill the offices within his gift with men who are entirely and heartily in support of his views. He is aware that there are some who ordinarily act with the Republican party, and who supported him in the campaign of 1884. His original intention, so it is said among those best informed in the matter, was to give them certain offices as gratuities, and not as awards of service to the Democratic party. He had hoped to annex a considerable portion of the Republican vote to that of his own party, but the sequel has shown that the experiment was not a paying one from a political standpoint. As matters stand to-day, the administration has practically divided the old Democratic party into two very nearly equal parts. Those who are supporting the President reside chiefly in the North and East. If the truth must be told, the South and West are opposed to the President. Mr. Cleveland's outward and thorough support of the Civil-Service Reform law, his uncompromising opposition to the coinage of silver, and the ambiguity of his belief upon the question of the tariff, are all matters which have contributed to this result. There are thousands of men in the Democratic party who never seriously entertained the thought that their national convention could, by any possibility, nominate a man who would treat the civil service law in anything but a farcical light. They are disgusted, dispirited and thoroughly mad. Men who have been hungry for twenty-five years do not, as a rule, care to make a hearty meal off from, what they call, sentiment. This class is very largely represented in Congress. The members of Congress, however, who believe as they do, are keeping very quiet. They are expecting certain loaves and fishes, and it would never do to let the President know but that they are thoroughly and heartily in sympathy with his every act. These Congressmen talk very freely among themselves, but they are chary in expressing any opinion which might, by any possibility, reach the President's ears. It is a curious fact that some of them have begun already to discuss the question as to who will be the standard-bearer of the next Democratic Convention. The ominous silence on the part of most of those who might be considered as liable to be struck with the Presidential lightening upon this very question of reform in the civil service is taken as an indication that they are catering to this section of the anti-Cleveland sentiment. The average Democrat is for reform, but he doesn't care to have it impede the march of the victorious upon the offices. The silver men are out-and-out opponents of the Administration. They are very strong in Congress, but unfortunately for them, the constitution gives the veto power to the executive. There is no question but that they have clear working majorities in both branches of Congress, but the two-thirds vote is a considerable distance beyond their reach. As nearly as can be ascertained, they will devote their energies to a radical fight against any suspension of coinage, and in that they will probably be successful. There has been some talk that a compromise measure, similar to that introduced by Senator Sherman, might find favor in the eyes of the President, and would receive his signature if passed; but this is mere conjecture. The President has not signified to anyone his intention in regard to the question. He may or may not be in favor of the compromise, but the silver men are doubtful about it. They are satisfied that they can keep matters as they are for an indefinite period, and any change, to receive their support, would have to be in the nature of a concession to their strength. This is the real cause of the bitter hostility of the silver interests to the attitude of the administration. It seems very probable that the tariff reformers will start a debate in the House within a very short time. Speaker Carlisle favors it, and Morrison is ready to push it with all the force of a leader of the Democratic side. Up to the present time, no one has been authorized to state the President's views on the tariff in the House. It is hinted that Mr. Randall will be the man, but any support of his would be a challenge to the reformers. Contrary to the policy of most administrations, Mr. Cleveland has designated no one to represent him in Congress. In the past, Presidents have found it to be a positive advantage to have prominent men of their own party, and who were heartily in sympathy with their views, purposes and policies, to defend their official acts in the Senate and House of Representatives. President Cleveland has no such men. As far as possible he has divorced the executive from the legislative portion of the government. This may, or may not, be good policy. It is certainly an experiment, and the lesson may be a beneficial one after all. One thing stands out, however, and that is that Mr. Cleveland is lacking in no courage in the stand which he has taken. His retreat from a policy of a general recognition of the "Mugwumps" will surely draw about him many who have hitherto been looking coldly at his administration It is asserted here that the President has recently renewed his professions of loyalty to the Democratic party, and that henceforth he will aim to select the best men in that organization for the offices. This will by no means be an indication that he intends to distribute the spoils to those who have rendered him partisan service, but will tend to show to the country that there are just as good men in the Democratic party as there are out of it. The President's change is the subject of almost universal gossip at the Capitol this week.

C. F. T.

"Bigamy and Niggermy."

New Orleans Picayune.]

A Cincinnati negro, who is now on trial for bigamy, is found to have three wives living, all of whom are white women. After he is punished for bigamy the women should be executed for niggermy.

SUNDAY SMILES.

An up-town man sent 25 cents to learn how to make $50 a week at home working on a capital of $1, and received the following printed slip: "Fish for fools, as I do."—[Butler (Penn.) Citizen.

There is said to be a growing demand for old-fashioned girls. We advise the old-fashioned girls not to come forward until ther are some old-fashioned boys to receive them.[San Francisco Alta.

"I wish I were yon star," he said, dreamily.

"So do I," she returned promptly, heroically swallowing a yawn.

"And why, dear one?" he asked impulsively, "why do *you* wish I were yon brilliant orb?"

"Because," she replied, in cold, matter-of-fact, Bostonese tones, "because yon brilliant orb is just 11,760,971 miles away." And he faded silently out, like a mist before a summer sun.—[New Haven News.

Prohibition will never flourish in Texas as long as the price of a glass of lemonade will buy two beers.—[Texas Siftings.

"Well, Sammy, are you going to school now?" "Yes." "What are you studying?" "Oh, 'rithmatic and slate an' some other durn thing, I furgit what they call it."—[Kentucky State Journal.

Excessive politeness: Wife—"What a very polite young man Mr. Dunley is! Husband—"Yes? I never discovered it." Wife—"He was very polite to me last evening. Among other compliments he spoke very pleasantly of my singing." Husband—"Did he? That *was* polite."—[Harper's Bazar.

A teacher in one of our schools asked the class which was the longest day of the year, and promptly got the answer: "Sunday."—[St. Albans Messenger.

Missionary Work in the Interior.

Stockton Independent.]

This is the season when a strange newspaper on the editor's table is a sign that Chancellor Hartson has been doing some more advertising in his fight for the gubernatorial nomination. Hartson has been doing effective work with the interior press and indorsements are coming in as thick as fly specks in summer. The gentleman from Napa is strong to-day, but he will give in to Morrow.

Metaphysical Healing
Taught and practiced. MISS COOLEY, 263 South Spring street. Hours 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m.

The Best Known Remedy
For any disorder of the nerves or neuralgia is Dr. Henley's Celery, Beef and Iron. It can be taken into the most dainty stomach with safety.

A Sensible Move at McDonell's Drug Store, 271 North Main Street.
The enormous profit usually realized by the retail drug business is an imposition on the buying public, and is far in excess of Eastern prices. The purest drugs can and shall be sold as low as in Chicago or New York. For instance, we will sell you—
One pound best gum camphor, 25 cents—regular price, 60 cents.
One bottle Hoyt's cologne, 15 cents—regular price, 25 cents.
One cake Colgate's cashmere boquet soap, 25 cents—regular price, 35 cents.
Our prices for everything else are all as low as in the East.
Prescriptions compounded by experts only, and 400 per cent. profit is not charged.
Remember! McDONELL, The Druggist.

Henry Schneider,
No. 155 Aliso street, repairer and tuner of violins, guitars, flutes, clarionets, accordeons, drums, reed organs, etc.

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Jobbing in carpenter work. Stepladders and orange ladders a specialty. Agent for Centennial windmills. Plaster paris ornaments for sale, put up and guaranteed. Telephone 341.

Academy of Fine Arts.
Thorough instruction in drawing and painting from models, nature and life. Lois A. Budlong, Principal, Room 48, Hollenbeck Block.

AN ORDINANCE,

Fixing Rates of Poll Tax for Los Angeles County.

ADOPTED FEB. 20, 1886,

By the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Oscar Macy, Milton Lindley, James Foord, George Hinds and Jacob Ross.

Noes—None.

The Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County do ordain as follows:

SECTION I.

There is hereby levied upon each male person over 21 and under 55 years of age found in each road district of this county, between the date on which this ordinance shall go into effect, as hereinafter provided, and the 31st day of December of the present year, the sum of three dollars as a road poll tax for the current year.

SECTION II.

Every person in a road district in said county who has not paid the road poll tax mentioned in the preceding section in some other district, must pay the same prior to December 31, 1886, to the Road Overseer of the district of which such person is then an inhabitant;

Provided, that any person liable for a road poll tax under and by virtue of this ordinance may, instead of paying the same in money, work out said road poll tax at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents per day, such work to be done under the direction of the Road Overseer or Road Commissioner of the road district of which such person is an inhabitant, and within such road district, providing work shall be done on or before the 31st day of December, A. D. 1886.

SECTION III.

The road poll tax herein levied shall be delinquent on the 31st day of December, 1886, and each person liable to pay such tax under this ordinance who shall not have paid the same before the 31st day of December, 1886, shall pay to such Road Overseer, in addition to the said three dollars, the sum of one dollar, as a penalty for such delinquency.

SECTION IV.

This ordinance shall go into effect and operation upon the 8th day of March, 1886, and shall, prior to that date, be published for one week in the Los Angeles Daily Express and Los Angeles Daily Herald and Los Angeles DAILY TIMES, newspapers published in said county, together with the names of the members of this Board voting for and against the same.

OSCAR MACY,
Chairman Board Supervisors of Los Angeles County, Cal.
Attest: C. H. DUNSMOOR, Clerk. fe21 1w

Excursion to San Diego
WILL LEAVE LOS ANGELES
Tuesday, March 2
Via Steamer SANTA ROSA, and Return Via California Southern Railroad.
Round Trip Tickets, $9 50.
GOOD FOR TEN DAYS.
For further particulars inquire at Steamship Office, 8 Commercial st., or Railroad Office, 239 N. Main st.
fe18td N. C. CARTER, Manager.

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City and country property for sale, to let and exchange. Loans negotiated. Houses rented and collections made.
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ATTENTION!
CADET CO., SEVENTH INFANTRY.
BATTALION WILL MEET ON THURSday evening of every week at 8 p. m.
M. S. STARIN,
fe9ml Captain Commanding Co.

NOTICE.
THE PEOPLE'S MARKET IS NOW OPEN and ready for business, and only four stalls now left for rent.
no25tf T. E. ROWAN Agent.

A Pasadena Highland Home.
SEEKERS OF HOME PROPERTY SHOULD visit the grounds to be sold at auction Thursday, Feb. 25, in Pasadena Highlands. Too much in their praise cannot be said. A visit alone will convince you that perfection of location is a moderate estimate of their actual worth. Residents of the valley who saw this locality after having purchased their homes, have expressed sincere regret that they did not first examine this most beautiful site.
We do not wish you to rely solely on our representations, but do ask and urge you to go out and see for yourself. The grandeur of the scenery will well repay cost and trouble. Take your marine glass with you, as the scenery is limited by the limit of vision only. So long as you intend to build a home somewhere in this vicinity, why not first see if what we claim is not true, viz: That no site near Los Angeles compares with it in beauty of scene and magnificence of surroundings. These lots, in size nearly one half acre each, permit cultivation of the finely developed fruit trees and vines they now contain. Mountain water of the best quality piped to each lot. Mr. G. A. Swartwout, the owner, until day of sale personally looks after visitors. A special excursion train will be run on day of sale, leaving at 10 a. m., for accommodation of guests. Round trip tickets 50c. For sale by Messrs. Stoll & Thayer, stationers, No. 3 S. Spring st., on and after Thursday, 18th inst., to day before sale. See auction and excursion advertisement in another column.
fe16 St J. M. BATCHELOR & CO., Auctioneers.

Amusements.

VIENNA THEATER.
Spring Street.
Lessee ... H. C. WYATT.
SUNDAY, FEB. 21st.
MATINEES WEDNESDAYS & SATURDAYS.
Reopening of this Popular Family Resort,
Conducted as a first-class Theater.
NO SMOKING. NO DRINKING.
On this occasion the
Emma Frank Dramatic Company
Will commence a series of performances, presenting the purest American comedy drama,
THE CONVICT'S DAUGHTER,
Introducing the charming little actress Minnie Young, supported by a powerful company.
Monday, Feb. 22, Washington's Birthday, Special Matinee performance.
50c ... POPULAR PRICES ... 25c
Seats now on sale.
F. Hunter, Manager. A. Fiedler, Agent. fe19td

OPERA HALL.
(Opera House Block.)
CALEDONIAN CLUB.
Scottish Musical and Literary Entertainment,
MONDAY EVENING, FEB. 22, AT 8 P. M.
(Washington's Birthday.)
Mr. Gregor McDonald will play selections on the great Highland Bagpipes during the evening.
1. Piano solo, Scotch airs ... Miss Ide
2. Vocal solo, "Bonnie Sweet Bessie the Maid of Dundee" Mrs. W. W. Buckingham.
3. Vocal solo, "Mary of Argyle," M. S. Snook.
4. Vocal solo, "Robin Adair," with guitar accompaniment ... Mrs. N. Gatching.
5. Reading, "Cottar's Saturday Night," G. A. Dobinson.
6. Vocal solo, Scotch ballad ... Miss George.
Address, "Scotland as Seen by an Irishman," ... Hon. E. F. Spence.
7. Vocal solo, "Scots Wha Ha'e Wi' Wallace Bled" ... Marcus S. Snook.
8. Vocal solo, "Come Buy My Flowers," Miss Maud Reese.
9. Vocal solo, "We Better Bide a Wee," Mrs. W. W. Buckingham.
10. Reading, "Jamie Douglas" ... Tom Barnes.
11. Vocal solo, Scotch ballad ... Miss George.
12. Dancing, Sailor's Hornpipe, Miss Maud Reese.
"Auld Lang Syne."
Tickets, 50c. To be had at music stores and from members of the committee, Mr. McDonald, 45 N. Spring; Mr. Simpson, 253 N. Main; Dr. McDonnell, 271 N. Main.
Dancing after entertainment. fe19 3t

ATHLETIC GROUNDS.
Corner Sixth and Flower Streets.
FIRST ANNUAL RACE MEETING
OF THE
LOS ANGELES WHEELMEN,
Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22nd,
THE FOLLOWING EVENTS WILL TAKE PLACE:
Half mile heat race, Club.
Three mile bicycle, open to all.
One mile walk, members L. A. A. C.
One mile bicycle, open to all.
One mile bicycle, Club.
100 yards run, L. A. A. C.
100 yards bicycle slow race, Club.
The races will commence at 2 p. m., and there will be a
Bicycle Parade
Of all Wheelmen of Los Angeles and vicinity, forming at 1 p. m. from the Club Rooms.
ADMISSION ... 50 CENTS. fe11td

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FIFTH—Some of the best houses in the city are now being built there.

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SEVENTH—It has all of the city improvements, such as electric lights and city water, of which there is no part of the city has a better supply.

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80 acres, desirably located, portion in city limits, surrounded by beautiful hedge; comfortable house, well, windmill and large tank; 60.0 bearing orange trees, 500 finely assorted deciduous trees; choice soil; city water for irrigation; will be sold altogether or divided, and at attractive prices.

70 acres in San Gabriel Valley, all in bearing fruits and vines; desirably located. Will sell at a bargain, or exchange for desirable property in Los Angeles.

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6 acres in the city, on street car line; choice location; full bearing orange trees. A decided bargain.

Lot on Main street, 60x150, for $1000. Lots on Pico street, $44344, near cars and electric light. Cheap and easy terms. Also property on Boyle Heights, Pasadena and Ontario at attractive prices. Four lots one block from Main street, $1200.

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And Grand Excursion to Pasadena Highlands

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Seventy-one residence lots, without exaggeration the loveliest location near Los Angeles. The view from this si is in every direction is of the most magnificent description, overlooking the new Raymond Hotel, beyond for miles in extent a broad stretch of blue ocean, with its passing sails and steamships in plain view; San Gabriel Valley, of which Pasadena is a part, spreading before you in all its far-reaching loveliness, altogether makes the scene truly sublime. Grounds in this vicinity have never before been sold in resident or small sections.

These lots, averaging 65x170 feet each, are situated 1¼ miles from mountains in Pasadena Highlands, 800 feet above Pasadena, ten minutes' easy drive from the pretty Olivewood railroad station. Perfectly level, abundance of water for each lot, beautiful grounds and residences in sight in all directions. Little or no fog or frost. Warmer in winter and cooler in summer than Pasadena or Los Angeles, because of conformation of surrounding country. Soil dark and rich. Every lot covered with vines and fruit trees of particular or choice variety. In fact the loveliest piece for a home conceivable. Visit the site before day of sale, for language cannot convey a tithe of its beauties.

C. A. Sweet on Bonnie Brae car, will, until day of sale, in person or deputy, meet at Pasadena all who wish to see the grounds, if they will call at Harper & Reynolds Co.'s hardware store, near railroad station, and convey them free of charge to and from the grounds. Those wishing to drive out please send him notice by mail the day before. At day of sale ample provision will be made to convey guests free of charge from and to Olivewood railroad station. Lunch served on the grounds.

Purchasers wishing a large section can have refusal of adjoining lots at prices accepted for one. All persons desiring a home that embraces all the luxuries contained in Southern California in one site, be sure and visit this ground before purchasing elsewhere. Terms of sale—Half cash, remainder in one year at 10 per cent interest. A deposit of $25 on each lot will be required at fall of the hammer. Title perfect. For further particulars apply to ***JOHN E. HATCHER & Co., Auctioneers, Rooms 45 Bryson Block,*** this city, or to ***G. A. SHARTWOUT, Esq.,*** Pasadena.

A special excursion train will leave Downey avenue station, L. A. & S. G. V. R. R., at 10 a. m. for accommodation of guests. Fare 50c round trip.

As we propose to provide for all we take, tickets will be limited in number to 500. Intending or possible purchasers will do well to apply early and secure a ticket, as the demand will exceed supply. Tickets for sale by Messrs. Stull & Thayer, stationers, No. 8 S. Spring street, from Thursday, 18th inst., to Wednesday, day before the sale. Auction sale at noon. fe18td

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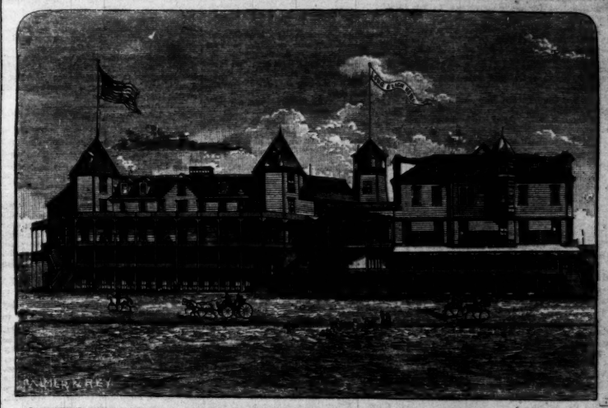

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These baths are built on the same plan as those in the larger cities of the East and Europe. Elegant cooling rooms, where the bather can enjoy the comforts of an Oriental siesta. Hot rooms are large and well ventilated.

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20 ACRES OF THE CHOICEST VINEyard or fruit land, within seven miles of the city; healthful location; good neighborhood; close to railroad; splendid water right; price $185 per acre, if sold in next ten days; payments reasonable. Apply to

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Rent Union flag in Los Angeles after the outbreak of hostilities. The TIMES declares to the doubtless correct recollection of its veteran contemporary in this matter.

the bill upon the attention of the Senate, and he believed it of greater importance to the agricultural, industrial and mercantile interests of this country than any that had been proposed for years.

transacted a business of $8,000,000 a year, but was bankrupted by the Chicago fire, died suddenly at Alamosa, Colorado, this morning. At the time of his death he was travelling for a Kansas City dry-goods house.

The cause of the shooting was the seduction of Conover's daughter by Deany under promise of marriage. According to Conover's statement two of his daughters have been ruined by Patrick Deany and his brother Thomas.

summoned, and, with some difficulty, took up the artery, the patient fainting meanwhile from loss of blood. At 1 o'clock this morning the injured man was able, with some assistance, to walk home. Dram slept in the calaboose.

PERSONAL.

IF CHARLES CONKLIN will call at the St. Elmo he will see a friend from Decatur, Illinois. fe22 2t

FOR EXCHANGE.

FOR EXCHANGE—Country property for property in overflowed district in city. M. L. WICKS, rooms 1 and 4, Postoffice block, city. fe7tf

ALL ABOARD!—Violet's Overland Excursion No. 9 leaves Monday, March 15. Lowest rates; best accommodations on the road. See the plan before deciding your route. O. H. VIOLET, Manager, St. Charles Hotel. fe19tf

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Type-writing: Legal, and other papers; dictation copying; type-writing taught; Miss Schenck, room 26, Temple block.

Remember the race meeting of the Los Angeles wheelmen, at the corner of Sixth and Flower streets, to-morrow afternoon.

Dr. E. Robbins has decided to again use his magnetic powers to heal the sick.

Stoll & Thayer's new city map only 25 cents.

Three rooms can be had in the Hermosa Vista. The air, water and scenery are all that can be desired and the hotel first-class. Only 15 miles from Los Angeles. The hack is at Raymond street, at 9:15 a. m. and 3:30 p. m.

The genuine Rogers Bros. silver-plated ware is always kept in stock at Pohlhaus & Vollmer's, No. 10 West First street.

In another column appears the card of A. L. Austin & Co., real estate and loan agents, who have opened an office at 113 North Spring street. They have a choice list of city and county property for sale.

The residents of Fifth street, east of Main, declare that they have their end of the street sprinkled as well as the west end. It is a much-traveled street, and they complain that the dust is becoming unbearable.

Rev. O. C. Miller, missionary of the Evangelical Lutheran Church on the Pacific coast, will preach in the First Presbyterian Church, corner of Second and Fort streets, on this Lord's day, at 2:30 p. m. All who are interested in the organization of an English Lutheran Church are invited to be present. He will also preach at the Methodist Episcopal Church South at 11 o'clock this morning.

The Vienna Theater will be opened tonight by the Emma Frank Dramatic Company. The interesting drama of "The Convict's Daughter" will be presented. No smoking or drinking will be permitted on the premises and everything will be conducted in a strictly first-class manner.

The Connecticut Fire Insurance Company, of Hartford, will occupy Room No. 11, Jones Block, next to Herald office, on February 25, 1886.

In another column appears the professional card of Dr. E. C. Manning. The doctor is well known as a successful practitioner in this city.

The one mile walk by the members of the Los Angeles Athletic Club, at the corner of Sixth and Flower streets, tomorrow afternoon, will be well worth seeing.

Los Angeles souvenirs at Stoll & Thayer's.

At the close of the Perkins-Baldwin trial the jury was photographed by A. C. Golsh, the photographer opposite the Plaza.

Read the programme of the first annual race meeting of the Los Angeles wheelmen on the fourth page of the TIMES to-day.

Members Los Angeles Council No. 11 R. and S. M. see special notice on first page.

Dr. Todd, dentist, Nadeau block.

Excursion East. Special inducements by Warner Bros. & Crosby, 302 North Main street, Los Angeles.

Best meal in city, 261 S. Spring street.

Dr. Townsend, dentist, 237 S. Spring st.

There is much interest felt in the one-hundred yards race to-morrow by members of the L. A. A. C.

New styles of colored glassware at Pohlhaus & Vollmer's First street crockery house.

Whittier, Fuller & Co., 307 Los Angeles street, have reduced the price of 74 degree gasoline for stove purposes to 20¢ per gallon.

J. C. Fitz Henry's boot and shoe store in Pasadena, which has been closed for several days owing to misunderstanding in reference to the failure of Fisher & Co., will reopen on Monday with the finest stock of goods, it is said, ever offered in that town.

Some of the best city lots and acre property can be found on the books of H. J. Shoniberg & Co. Read their advertisement.

Dr. Urmy, Dentist, Schumacher Block.

If you have money to loan call on Wilcox & Robbins, 34 N. Spring.

Dr. Williams, specialist in diseases of the head, throat and lungs.

PERSONAL NEWS.

Mrs. S. B. Bliss returns home to-day.

Prof. J. M. Coyner, of Pasadena, was in the city yesterday.

L. M. Holt, of the Riverside Press and Horticulturist, was in town yesterday.

C. P. Longstreet and wife are passengers aboard to-day's San Francisco express.

Miss Mary B. Gard, of Los Angeles, is visiting at Dr. Bailey's.—[Orange Tribune.

Miss Annie Woodhead, of Los Angeles, is visiting at Rev. Bovard's.—[Orange Tribune.

Harlow P. Bancroft, of the firm of A. L. Bancroft & Co., of San Francisco, is at the St. Elmo.

R. B. Davis, representing the New England Soap Company, San Francisco, is visiting this city.

Gen. Sheehan and bride went to Santa Monica last evening, and will spend Sunday at the beach.

J. B. W. Spargur, the leading banker of Bainbridge, O., is in the city with his family, and may conclude to remain.

The TIMES had a pleasant call Friday from Gen. John F. Sheehan, one of the editors and proprietors of the San Francisco Post.

Mrs. Otis, of the TIMES, left for Santa Barbara yesterday, to be present at the fair which begins there on Tuesday. She will be absent probably a fortnight.

Robert Cunninghame of the Boston Journal, arrived here on Friday with his wife. He will remain some weeks, and will see the whole coast before going home.

The friends of Rev. A. J. Wells, pastor of the First Congregationalist Church, will be pleased to learn that he has regained his health sufficiently to resume his pulpit to-day. He is still weak, however—too weak, it is feared, to continue his work.

At the St. Charles: H. D. Sutliff, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; H. Kruse, M. Rosenburg, J. M. Hixson, San Francisco; Miss Armstrong, J. N. Armstrong, Hannibal, Mo.; Henry Clark and son, Duluth, Minn.; B. M. Moore, Pinecate; A. M. Meier, Cincinnati, O.; L. M. Holt and wife, Riverside; D. W. McCormack, Orange; M. McCormack, Newhall; James Smith and wife, Pasadena; Mrs. L. Gildmacher and two boys, Santa Ana; D. H. Healey, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

At the Grand Central: Mare Hontschke, Lugonia; Augustus Blair, Boston; Daniel Myers, West Baltimore, O.; Mrs. S. A. Gordon and two children, Des Moines; Dr. F. J. Fox, Dr. Bozarro, H. H. Cornell and wife, Star Medicine Company; Joseph Schanig, New York City; Valentine Lopez and wife, San Fernando; H. J. Austin, Colton, Cal.; J. Ellis; C. C. Patton, Pasadena; Charles Bessay, Madera; Wm. E. Moore, Abilene, Kan.; F. E. Armstrong, Bryan, Tex.; S. J. Thrailkill, Iowa; Geo. Clark, Duarte; Rev. C. Johnston, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; G. D. Wilson, San Francisco; H. N. Elliott, Oakland; C. Fahrig, Anaheim; J. Thomas, New Orleans; A. D. Norman, New York; D. C. Orman, Tucson; G. W. Warner, Chicago; F. J. Cash, San Francisco; A. F. Morton, New York; R. W. Hall, Calico; Jesus Lopez, San Bernardo.

Under a New Management.

Mr. Pierce, a photographer of great experience, has taken the Elite photograph gallery until recently owned by T. A. Stanton. Mr. Pierce has inaugurated many improvements, and has reduced the price of the best cabinets to $4 per dozen. His large card in another column will give particulars.

State Associations' Picnic.

All who failed to procure tickets for the picnic can do so at the Downey Avenue Depot Monday morning.

OCEAN MAIL SERVICE.

The Board of Trade Asks Its Improvement in Some Ways.

To the Honorable Postmaster General, Washington, D. C.—DEAR SIR: At a meeting of the Los Angeles Board of Trade, on the 16th day of February, the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, Serious interruptions of the mail service between Los Angeles and points north and south have occurred in the past, and are likely to occur as frequently in the future if no remedy be provided, by arranging to have the mails transported by the Ocean route at such times; the interruptions referred to being the result of washouts caused by heavy rain storms that visit us at times; and

WHEREAS, There were, in the winters of 1883 and 1884, thirty consecutive days when railroad communication between Los Angeles and San Francisco was suspended, and railroad communication between Los Angeles and San Diego was cut off during the greater part of the year 1884; and

WHEREAS, There were eleven consecutive days in January of this year when we were without mail communication with San Francisco, all by reason of washouts as above; be it

Resolved, That we respectfully petition the Honorable Postmaster General to relieve us from the possibility of such embarrassments in the future by arranging now for the conveyance of the mails at such times by the Ocean route, by the steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company; and it is also

Resolved, That, to foster our growing commerce with San Diego, Humboldt, San Buenaventura, Santa Barbara, Gaviota, Port Hasford, San Luis Obispo, Cayucos and Santa Cruz, and to better accommodate our correspondence with those places and to give it more prompt and certain delivery, a regular mail service to and from those places by sail or steamship company is needed.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Hon. Dorsheimer Prentiss, Attorney General, through the hands of our Congressional Representative, Col. H. H. Markham, who is hereby requested to respectfully urge our petition at the Post-office Department.

W. C. T. U.

Report of the County Convention Held this Week.

The County Convention of the W. C. T. U. was in session Tuesday afternoon and evening, Wednesday and Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Prof. More delivered the address of welcome, to which Mrs. Cash, county President, responded. Papers were read in the evening by Mrs. Dorsey and Mrs. Dr. Seymore.

Wednesday forenoon papers were read by Mrs. Evans of Garden Grove, Mrs. Bowen of Pomona, Mrs. Woodin of Pasadena, Mrs. Chaffee of Garden Grove. The discussion on the question, "What shall we do with our young men?" was led by Mrs. McPherson of Los Angeles

In the afternoon the subjects of "Franchise," "Temperance Instruction in the Schools," "Sunday School and Band of Hope Work," were considered in papers and discussions. Mrs. Hawkins of Pomona; Mrs. G. T. Hanley, Mrs. Blanchard, Mrs. Dr. Lord of Pasadena, Miss Emma Harriman and others taking part. In the evening Mrs. Olive A. Bird, State President, read a very able paper on heredity, and Emma Harriman delivered a short address on prohibition.

Miss Dunham, President of the J. W. C. T. U., spoke of the work of the young ladies in a most instructive manner.

A quartette of Los Angeles singers furnished excellent music, and Dolly Henley recited beautifully "Anna Gordon's "Collection Poem."

The convention was a successful and interesting one from first to last, and the reports from various sections of the county were, on the whole, very encouraging.

THE CALEDONIANS.

Programme of To-morrow Evening's Entertainment.

The Caledonian Club will give a musical and literary entertainment at Opera House Hall to-morrow evening, with the following programme:

Piano Solo—Scotch airs, Mrs. Ide.
Vocal Solo—"Bonnie Sweet Bessie, the Maid of Dundee," Mrs. W. W. Buckingham.
Vocal Solo—"Mary of Argyle," Marcus S. Snook.
Vocal Solo — "Robin Adair" (with guitar accompaniment), Mrs. N. Caichling.
Reading—"Cotter's Saturday Night," G. A. Dobinson.
Vocal Solo—Scotch ballad, Miss George.
Address—"Scotland as Seen by an Irishman," Hon. E. F. Spence.
Vocal Solo—"Scots Wha Ha'e Wi' Wallace Bled," Marcus S. Snook.
Vocal Solo—"Come, Buy My Flowers," Miss Maud Rose.
Vocal Solo—"We Better Bide a Wee," Mrs. W. W. Buckingham.
Reading — "Jamie Douglas," Tom Barnes.
Vocal Solo—Scotch ballad, Miss George.
Dancing—"Sailor's Hornpipe," Miss Maud Rose.
"Auld Lang Syne."

Gregory McDonald will play selections on the great Highland bagpipes during the evening.

There will be dancing at the conclusion of the entertainment.

Take Notice.

Watch well next year—there will be the largest emigration ever known to Southern California. We have it from the best authenticated source. You never hear abroad any other place spoken of but Los Angeles and Pasadena. Dr. and Mrs. Dr. Carr, Carmelita, S. P. Jewett and others. Dr. Congar's Arroyo Vista, where the sale takes place. Buy in this beautiful valley—sell if you see it before the sale you will surely buy here, in the heart of the city, two minutes' walk to the postoffice, churches, drive from Los Angeles. Our round trip only $2.75, including lunch at the villa. A floor. Every lot a gem, covered with orange groves and vines. Trees breaking down with the luscious golden fruit. This syndicate is composed of the following well-known gentlemen in Pasadena: F. M. Gerke, Esq.; Judge N. O. Forrest; C. S. Martin, Esq., H. G. Bennett, Esq., and Ward Bros. This is a sufficient guarantee for anybody.

Free lunch. Long credit sale.

Sunday is a nice, quiet day. Go and see it. Sale at 10:30. Sale at 10:30. Catalogues now ready.

C. L. S. C.

The various Chautauqua Circles of the city will unite in a general celebration of the anniversary of the starting of the "Chautauqua Idea," on Tuesday evening, February 23, at the Presbyterian Church, Second and Fort streets. A cordial invitation is extended to Chautauquans and to the general public. Members are requested to wear a bunch of Marguerites on the left breast, as a badge for the evening. The exercises will commence at 7:45.

The programme will include vocal solos by Misses Bush and Palmer, and Messrs. Nay and Rees; class choruses, with original words by members; paper or address, by Rev. Dr. Weller, on the founder, Dr. Vincent, and his work; crystalline, or glass music; experiments in electricity, by Prof. Dozier; poem, by Mrs. Weller, and other papers.

Admission free, and no collection.

Creating a Panic

In the dry goods trade, Monday, by offering 500 nice hoopskirts at 10 cents each, 500 Ball's Health Corsets at 40 cents, worth $1.25; fifty dozen fine embroidered handkerchiefs at 16⅔ cents, worth 35 cents, and 30,000 yards of ribbon at about one-fourth their real value, Monday, between 9 and 10 we offer 10,000 yards Lonsdale bleached muslin at 5 cents per yard. The above bargains can all be found in our basement salesroom, without doubt the cheapest salesroom in California. Come once and you are sure to come again. Hundreds of remnants of all kinds at way-down prices.

Two first-class salesmen and two first-class saleslad ies are wanted. Good wages will be paid to the right parties.

J. T. SHUMARD.

The Wheelmen.

The bicyclists will give a grand parade on their steel and nickel-plate horses to-morrow, starting from their club-room at 1 p. m. When they reach the Athletic grounds, corner of Sixth and Flower streets, the following programme will be carried out: Half-mile heat race, club; three-mile bicycle, open to all; one mile walk, members L. A. A. C.; one mile bicycle, club; 100 yards run, L. A. A. C.; 100 yards bicycle slow race, club.

Pythian Knights of Pasadena.

Pasadena Lodge, K. of P., celebrated the 22d anniversary of the institution of the order on Friday evening, with appropriate exercises, at Williams Hall. In response to the invitations issued about 150 were present. The programme was carried out as arranged, and much satisfaction was expressed with the initial entertainment of this young order in Pasadena. Music, both instrumental and vocal, was rendered throughout the literary exercises, which were opened with an address of welcome by Chancellor Commander R. K. Jones.

Past Chancellor J. E. Clarke followed with an address sketching the history and defining the principles of this order. Rev. M. N. Cornelius added to the interest of the occasion with telling remarks. An amusing sketch entitled "The Wrong Bottle," was rendered by L. Herman and C. W. Bell.

Following these exercises the company enjoyed a most bountiful supper, spread by Misses Nay and Willard, after which dancing and a general good time socially was indulged in.

Pasadena Lodge is only a little more than three months old, but has already an active membership from among the best citizens.

AH WUHEE.

A Desperate and Elusive Chinese Convict.

Capt. P. M. Darcy got back yesterday noon from his protracted absence north. Upon his arrival at the Sheriff's office, he was warmly welcomed and dragged into the inner room. Here Deputy Sheriff Will Hammel made an eloquent speech and presented the prodigal two expressive cartoons by Short. They represented a scene on the train, with Darcy sitting by a window intent on seven-up, while from the opposite end of the car back his handcuffed Chinaman is diving headlong.

It will be remembered that on the 15th Ah Wuhee, whom Capt. Darcy was taking to San Quentin under a five-years' sentence for burglary, jumped from a carriage window in the night at Colachepi, with the handcuffs on him, and escaped. He landed on his head, but was not injured. It took a seventy-five mile chase to catch the fellow, who was very desperate. Capt. Darcy had everyone along the line on the lookout, and Ah Wuhee was finally captured at Sumner on the 17th. He had got some Chinese section-hands to saw off the handcuffs, and fought fiercely when captured. When on the ferry-boat later, in charge of Capt. Darcy, he tried to jump overboard and drown himself. Capt. Darcy landed him safe in San Quentin, however, and has the receipt for him.

THE BRIBERY SCANDAL.

No New Developments, but the Lowden Working.

Nothing new was developed yesterday in the bribery scandal brought out in the investigation by the Supervisors Friday.

Stenographer Cherry was busy all day transcribing the evidence taken down by him, and he expected to have his task completed Monday. Then—"we shall see what we shall see." District Attorney Holton and Lawyer Williams are said to be looking up the law. S. B. Mills, of the W. H. Perry Lumber Company, who was not present at Friday's investigation, returned to the city yesterday. He told a reporter of the TIMES that the paper answering to Document No. 1 (Hall's promissory note) was not in the possession of his firm. Further than this he did not add his conversation reported, but he was willing to appear before the Supervisors at any time and testify.

Sheriff Gard is deeply interested home to-morrow, and he will no doubt embrace the first opportunity to appear before the Supervisors and testify in his own behalf.

The First Orange Train.

L. E. Mosher, General Commercial Agent of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, favors the TIMES with a photograph of the first special orange train made up under the auspices of the Orange Growers' Protective Union, and which pulled out of the Los Angeles yard early last week. The picture shows an engine and seventeen fruit cars, backed by the Southern Pacific freight depot and a section of hills and houses in perspective. Unfortunately the marxin of the picture cuts of the caboose and a second engine which brought up the rear of the train. It is, however, a very attractive view, and the significance of it is one of its best features. Much obliged, Hank!

An Important Notice.

Readers see what is to take place on Tuesday. The great, grand auction sale—the great, grand excursion—and don't you go on any other excursion until you have been with us once. John C. Bell, the auctioneer, will sell on the grounds on Tuesday, at 10:30. Cars will leave the depot at 9:30. Lots of people got left last time. Go early and get a good seat. The sale will take place in the orange grove by order of Ward Bros., real estate agents of Pasadena. Discoursing of music by the Pasadena Cornet Band. Splendid free lunch, in the orange grove—level as a floor. Best of drainage. Finest climate on the face of God's earth.

Pasadena.

Pasadena has been the miracle of Southern California. Like some charmed spots we read of in fairy tales everything there has prospered. It has grown from an insignificant hamlet in 1877 to a thriving, prosperous community in 1886, and the fame of the beauty of its surroundings has gone all over the civilized world. A chance for a profitable investment in real estate in the very heart of Pasadena is offered by the auction sale of lots which is to take place there next Tuesday. A low excursion rate is offered and the opportunity should be improved.

Tourists, Make a Note On't.

The short trip by the San Gabriel Valley railroad and carriage via Pasadena to Rose's, Baldwin's and Sierra Madre Villa, requires only a short drive to view the charming scenery and sighs of the valley and foothills—the famous orange groves, vineyards and gardens of our paradise. Rail to Pasadena avoids the thirty-mile drive from Los Angeles. Our round trip only $2.75, including lunch at the villa.

The Knights of Labor.

The Knights of Labor, at their regular meeting last evening, indorsed the action of the Trades Council on boycotting the Chinese. It is stated to the TIMES that there will be no meeting next Saturday, but that the Knights of Labor will attend the mass meeting at the Tabernacle next Saturday evening in a body.

A Pasadena Investment.

Next Tuesday, February 23, the Congar tract, in Pasadena, will be sold at public auction. This property is, indeed, the dream of all properties in that beautiful suburban place. This is, indeed, a rare chance for those seeking an investment.

Mrs. Hunter Found.

Mrs. Hunter, whose mysterious disappearance was noted in yesterday's TIMES, has been found at her house at Colton, whither she wandered in her suffering and aberration. She is very sick.

BRIEFS.

Sheriff Gard is expected home to-morrow.

The grand picnic excursion to Lamanda Park to-morrow. There will be a union of States.

The bond of Rose Williams was yesterday declared forfeited in the Superior Court, and a bench warrant was issued.

Judge Cheney will deliver an address appropriate to Washington's birthday, at University Chapel, West Los Angeles, at 2 o'clock to-morrow.

Coroner McFarland held an inquest Friday on a man who died suddenly at San Pedro of hemorrhage of the lungs. Particulars are not at hand.

It is announced that a special fruit train will leave Los Angeles to-day for the East. It will keep ahead of the passenger train all the way through.

Filed in the Recorder's office yesterday: thirty-three deeds, fifteen mortgages, thirteen satisfactions, four marriage licenses, and five miscellaneous papers.

The committee of the Trades Council have secured the Tabernacle, on Main street, near Fourth, for the holding of the anti-Chinese meeting next Saturday evening.

Marriage licenses were yesterday issued to C. Garcia and Rafaela Feliz, José N. Maria and Carmen Vega, Michael Clark and Delia Quinn, and Rodolfo Laughlin and Celeste Vignes.

The TIMES force is under obligations to J. Jorchow, of San Gabriel Mission, for a box of fine Navel oranges sent to the office yesterday. The fruit proved to be of excellent flavor and very sweet.

The reconstructing force of the Los Angeles and San Gabriel Valley Railroad from the railroad bridge to the freight depot, on the west side of the river. Men and teams are at work filling up the vacuum where the passenger depot used to stand.

The People's Store are Going to Give Away Glassware this Week Free to Every Purchaser of $7, $12 and $20.

Besides this, we are going to cut prices all through the house this week. We want to make our February sales the best on record. The merchants in our lines say that "we have no business capacity, that all we understand is to draw crowds by selling goods for less than cost." Well, we will show them that we understand drawing crowds and that we are "keen knifers." We've been selling goods so long for less than cost that, as they say, we're expected to keep company with the sheriff daily. It's your benefit; this week we'll give you a free ride in prices. We expect to draw a big crowd this week as we've laid out some splendid values for sacrifice. We have mentioned some splendid values in shoes in our advertisement elsewhere in this paper. Our shoe department is deservedly popular. Our boys' clothing department likewise. Many of the goods in these departments are sold less than shoemen in the trade pay for them. We have added a hat and cap department. You will find men's and boys' straw and felt hats 50 per cent. cheaper than any hat store in town.

PEOPLE'S STORE.

Lands and Lots for Sale by Lyman Allen, Pasadena.

$950. Lot on Villa street, near Moline avenue, 100x145; extra fine trees, and only $9.50 per front foot.

$200. Lot, northwest corner Moline and Villa, 50x145; fine building site.

$400. Fine lot on Chestnut street, 50x140; a good bargain, close to business center.

$800. Lot 100x250, on high ground, giving the finest and extended views.

$450. One acre, corner lot, in trees, an oak tree.

$1,100. Two and a half acres, corner lot, mostly set, a fine live oak tree location, and has a high, beautiful building spot. Hard to beat.

$850. Two and a half acres, corner lot, handsome ground.

$625. Five acres good land, good water right.

$1,000. Five acres good land, water piped, mostly set, small house.

$1,800. Forty and seven-tenths acres, corner lot, mostly in trees, water piped; cheap.

$2,750. Ten lots, bearing trees, on two good streets; good place to put some of your surplus coin.

$3,300. Five acres, good bearing trees, fine building sites, on nice avenue, would divide up well, is a decided bargain.

$4,500. Ten acres, bearing trees, house of 5 rooms.

$1,500. Thirty-three lots near Raymond Hotel, some of them very nicely, very low prices.

$3,000. Twenty acres, choice land, mountain water piped.

Cut this out and put it in your vest pocket.

Ladies, Attention!

Have you attended the great bargain sale at Mosgrove's the past week and inspected the unequaled bargains they are offering and will continue to offer for some time?

The immense crowds that daily visit the store prove to the most skeptical that the goods offered are veritable bargains, and must be seen to be appreciated.

Jerke's jersey waists in great variety. Capes and Jersey Newmarkets are marked down fully one-half, and we advise the ladies to take advantage of this opportunity to obtain such genuine bargains. Don't fail to visit Mosgrove's this week.

Ladies suffering from female weakness, irregularities and diseases incident to their sex, should consult Mrs. Dr. Hall, a whose specialty is diseases of women, and whose method of treatment gives immediate relief. 341 Spring street.

Dr. E. Robbins, corner First and Spring streets, diagnoses disease without explanation from the patient free of charge.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union meets the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month, at 2:30 p. m., at the First Presbyterian Church.

If you want a pleasant trip and cheap rates, go with the old reliable excursion company, February 23. Leave 12:30 a. m.

BAKER & DENISON,
304 N. Main street.

E. Adam's Clothing House.

Busy, busy. We have been busy last week making our customers happy with unparalleled bargains in suits. There is still a lot of them left. Don't be too late in securing one of those splendid $14.50 silk mixed suits. Call soon at 18 S. Spring street.

Card to the Public.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 19, 1886.

To the Insuring Public: I take pleasure in recommending the Western Fire and Marine Insurance Company of California, represented in Los Angeles by Mr. Theo. Summerland, he having paid me this day the amount of my loss in full by the fire which occurred Feb. 18, at 660½ San Fernando street.

JOSEPH BAYER.

$1000 Reward for that Man

That can find any nitrate of silver, sugar of lead, sulphur or oils in the great California Golden Age Hair Reproducer and Tonic. Hair stops falling out. Dandruff removed and diseases of the scalp cured at once. Hair grown on bald heads in 60 or 90 per cent. of those that use the Golden Age. It gives the hair a beautiful, healthy appearance. Try it; only $1 per bottle, or 6 for $5. The Wonderful Sea Foam for shampooing the head is pronounced by leading physicians and business men to be the best article known. Only 50 cents per bottle, at all druggists, or sent C. O. D. to all parts of the United States All orders sent to S. Brown & Co., P. O. Box 892, Los Angeles, Cal. Agents wanted everywhere.

Passenger Movements.

TO ARRIVE BY RAIL.

By Telegraph to the Times.

DENVER, Feb. 20.—The following passengers, bound for Los Angeles, passed here this evening:

Wm F Sharp, San Francisco; A G Ainsworth, Wm H Mills, Oakland; Wm N Bryan, San Francisco; T B Lemmon and wife, Nebraska; Miss H Wightman, Miss E Wightman, Texas; Mrs H B Bliss, Mrs E W Bliss, San Francisco; C P Longstreet and wife, Los Angeles; Mrs S A Judd, San Francisco; Mrs E S Clark, Portland.

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The best proof that the Queen Lily Soap has extraordinary merits and is in good repute with the public is that it is so extensively imitated and counterfeited.

These counterfeits resemble the Queen Lily Soap in appearance and style of packing only. They lack the purity and general excellence of the genuine.

This notice is necessary, as vilely injurious and dangerous imitations, liable to produce chronic inflammation of the skin, are often substituted for the Queen Lily, because they pay a larger profit.

The price of the Queen Lily is as low as consistent with the cost of making such a high grade of pure soap. The price, compared to the quantity and the size of the cakes, makes it the cheapest soap for every body and for every wash.

Consumers have simply to insist upon having the Queen Lily, remembering that if any substitute is offered it is for the advantage of the seller.

The Queen Lily is the finest soap known for laundry and general household use. It is made of vegetable oils, and everything used in its manufacture is the purest and the best, so it is absolutely pure.

Ladies will find this soap especially adapted for washing laces, infants' clothing, silk hose, cleaning gloves and all articles of fine textures and delicate color, and for the various uses about the house that daily arise requiring the use of soap that is above the ordinary in quality.

For the bath, toilet or nursery it is preferred to most of the soap sold for toilet use, being purer and much more pleasant and effective, and possessing all the desirable qualities of the finest unadulterated White Castile Soap. Respectfully,

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We solicit patronage from all wishing to buy, sell or exchange.

Please call at the office, 113 N. Spring st., or send description and price through the Postoffice. fe21tf

A PHYSICAL WONDER.

Hundreds of Abandoned and Hopeless Sufferers Made Happy by Relief.

Dr. MacLennan, the Distinguished Vitapathic Physician of San Francisco—His Methods of Treatment a Success here in Los Angeles — Cures that Challenge Belief.

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So many thousands are already acquainted with his mode of operating it seems necessary only to say that by this method an equilibrium of the vital powers is at once established, and an equalization of the circulation maintained, thus Nature is enabled to throw off effete matter which generates and fosters disease, and health at once ensues.

Dr. MacLennan heals by bringing into action the all-potent elements of Nature, and the recuperative forces of the human system; he adopts a natural course which commends itself to the humblest understanding. His often effects an immediate cure of cases deemed beyond all reach, because, in connection with natural agencies, he brings into requisition

POWERS AND ELEMENTS WRAPPED IN MYSTERY to the ignorant, and ignored by the regular schools of Materia and Medicine, though recognized by Sacred History of all times, and the most eminent physicians of every age, but as yet only taught in the American Health Colleges of Ohio, whose graduates are now found to perform the same marvelous cures, causing ministers, physicians, scientists and the public generally to stand in wonder and amazement. One thing is sure, they are making a record in the history of the cure of diseases so far ahead of the other schools of medicine that a few years back they would have set the world agog as "miracle workers."

Dr. MacLennan, the most successful exponent of this progressive system now before the public, does not only remove the disease for the time being, but removes the causes, producing a permanent cure.

To prove the above assertion he submits the following cases for publication. Dr. MacLennan can be consulted free at 111 South Main street, near Second, opposite the Cathedral.

I deem it a duty to let the public know, through your valuable paper, of the sudden and wonderful cure of paralysis of my right hand wrought on me by Dr. MacLennan. He restored to me the use of my hand by one week's treatment. DENNIS RIORDAN,
Round House, S. Main st., Los Angeles.

Mr. Marsh, with California Furniture Company, Main street, Los Angeles, says: "Dr. MacLennan cured me of a severe trouble in my back and kidneys in two treatments. I consider him a very wonderful man."

Mr. Hinton, a carpenter slopping at 89 South Water street, Los Angeles, says: "I was nearly dead with heart disease when I went to Dr. MacLennan. He gave me instant relief and saved my life."

Mr. T. F. Conway, a well known citizen, residing at 47 South Los Angeles street, says: "My affliction was an uncontrolable mystery to physicians, but Dr. MacLennan handled my disease like a toy, and restored me speedily to health."

Mr. W. H. Cooper, 1036 Temple street, says: "I have doctored in vain, both here and in the East, for spinal trouble, but found no help until I took treatment of Dr. MacLennan, who gave me immediate relief."

Liver and kidney trouble of four years' standing cured in one month, and the patient gains sixteen pounds, and goes to work.

Mr. H. C. Rice, 127 First street, says: "I was a very sick man when I first went to Dr. MacLennan. For four years I suffered with liver and kidney trouble. Under the Doctor's treatment I commenced immediately to improve. I gained sixteen pounds the first month, and was able to go to work."

ASTHMA OF TWENTY YEARS' STANDING YIELDS TO THE VITAPATHIC TREATMENT.

Mr. Dockwiler, another of Los Angeles' pioneers, and an old and much respected citizen, says: "I had asthma for over twenty years, and I had given up all hope of ever getting well. I am happy, however, to say that money could not buy from me the relief obtained at the hands of Dr. MacLennan."

"Yes," said Mr. Foot, of Chicago, now stopping at 211 Fort street, "I am now taking what the best physicians in the world recommended me, and it is helping me. Dr. MacLennan is a power, and his treatment will benefit, if not cure, all persons."

NEURALGIA CURED INSTANTLY.

Mr. Thomas McKay, 28 South Main street, says: "I was nearly crazy for four nights with neuralgia; blistered my face with poultices, plasters and liniments; afforded no relief. I went to Dr. MacLennan, who cured me in less than one minute by simply laying his hand on my face."

Mr. L. B. Huntington, of Anaheim, Cal., says: "Dr. MacLennan helped me instantly of extreme nervous weakness and neuralgia."

THREW AWAY HIS CRUTCHES.

Mr. Ira Brokaw, 26 South Main street, says: "I went to Dr. MacLennan on two crutches; inside of three weeks I threw them away and I am now a well man."

A BAD CASE OF SCIATICA RHEUMATISM CURED IN TEN DAYS.

Mr. William Allen, carpenter foreman of the Los Angeles Cable Railroad Company, and living at the corner of Wilmington and First streets, says: "The pain which I suffered seemed almost unbearable. My leg was drawn up and contracted; nothing seemed to afford me any relief until I took treatment of Dr. MacLennan. Immediate improvement followed, and I was well in ten days."

PROGRESSIVE PARALYSIS CURED IN A FEW DAYS.

Mr. C. G. Miller, of Wilmington, says: "My lower limbs were so weak that I was hardly able to walk. A few treatments from Dr. MacLennan cured me of all my infirmities. I do sincerely advise all who are out of health to try him."

TAKEN FROM A BED OF SUFFERING.

Mr. Paul Koch, 726 Main street, an old and well-known citizen, says: "For four long months I suffered untold agony. Owing to the failure of others to give me relief, I reluctantly and with great persuasion tried Dr. MacLennan's treatment, with extraordinary good results. He has taken me off a bed of sickness."

NEVER WAS SO HAPPY IN MY LIFE.

Mrs. Carns, residing at Artesia, says: "I never was so happy in my life as I am now, since I got cured of my rheumatism, which had completely crippled me the last two years. Dr. MacLennan has removed all my lameness and pain."

MR. J. C. M'MENOMY,

The well-known plumber, gas and steam fitter, 7 and 9 First street, says: "I will always speak well of the bridge that carries me safely over. Dr. MacLennan has accomplished great deal of good in my family."

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Compton, Monday, February 22.
Pasadena, Tuesday, February 23.
Santa Monica, Wednesday, February 24.
Downey, Thursday, February 25.
Orange, Friday, February 26.
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